

Shoots Black Hand Men and 50 Policemen Aid in Search for Missing Russia Lays Plans to Float a
Settles Attempted Blackmail Boy in Golden Gate Park; Found Drowned Big Loan of \$100,000,000

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BIG CONVENTION GOES WILD AT MENTION OF ROOSEVELT

INJUNCTION FIGHT IS STRONG

Both Sides in Republican National Convention Claim to Control the Committee on Resolutions.

CHICAGO, June 17.—With both sides asserting control of the resolutions committee on an anti-injunction plank with each side strenuously exerting all possible effort for increased strength with the subcommittee known to have a favorable leaning to the Taft plank in secret session the problem of what the outcome will be on this the big fight of the convention remains open for speculation.

Modifications Drawn.

Modifications of the original plank on injunction are understood to have been drawn by the friends of the proposition for consideration by the subcommittee. Those who oppose any mention of the subject in the platform assert that the line-up of the full committee is 1 to 21 in their favor while the Taft forces maintain that the figures should be exactly reversed.

Compromise Proposition

As to the compromise proposition these having the opposition to the plank insist that their strength makes it unnecessary for them to consider it. Meantime the platform is being put through the prescribed amount of scrutiny by the committee with the

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SHOOT'S BLACK HAND MEN IN SELF-DEFENSE

Three Italians Are Dead in a Bloody Tragedy at New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, June 17.—Following a series of crimes attributed to so-called "black hand" societies in the Italian quarter of New Orleans one of the worst tragedies yet connected with that section took place today when three Italians were shot to death.

According to the police these men were killed as a result of an attempt to extort money from Pietro Giacoma, a wealthy Italian wine merchant.

Refused to Pay for Wine.

Giacoma and his son told the police that these men had frequently bought wine from them by the barrel and had invariably refused to pay for it. According to their story the three men forced them to ship a barrel of wine to a point in the State yesterday and returning early today, ordered them to prepare a meal.

Killed With Rifle.

When one of the visiting Italians drew a heavy revolver and ordered them to produce money and valuables the elder Giacoma answered with a shot from the hip. "He can be shot at full dead and the other two attempted to escape. One was killed before he got ten feet from the table. The other reached the stairs.

WEATHER REPORT

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—San Francisco and vicinity Fair tonight and Thursday, fresh northwest wind. San Jose and Santa Clara Valley and San Joaquin Valley Fair, warmer tonight. Fair Thursday, fresh north wind. Southern California Fair tonight and Thursday, light west wind.

Third Term 'Boomers' Start In Action but Are Squelched By Roosevelt's Friend, Lodge

CHICAGO, June 17.—When the name of President Roosevelt was mentioned today by Senator Lodge in his speech pandemonium broke loose and no national convention ever witnessed such an ovation.

The cheering lasted for more than 45 minutes. Every one was sobered down when Senator Lodge very forcibly announced that no person was to be considered a friend of President Roosevelt who attempted to use his name as a candidate.

CHICAGO, June 17.—Senator Lodge, permanent chairman of the Republican national convention, during the course of his address today referring to President Roosevelt said: "The President has fearlessly enforced the law. He has found them on the streets of New York."

Demonstration Begins.

And the result, I saw it on the face of the President, the most dignified and most popular man in the United States today. At this the first real demonstration broke loose. A man in the cheering appeared suddenly. It was a minute or two before the delegates from the various states joined in their applause. A great shout came from all over the hall.

As the cheering came from the platform, the speaker turned to his friends on the platform. They said there was no Roosevelt feeling in this convention but I will show them that there is.

The speaker exhibited pleasure at the demonstration. Colorado, West Virginia and North Carolina took on the cheering. Ohio (delegation) remained seated and silent. As the demonstration continued the cheering came in great waves dying away almost to nothing one instant and then breaking out afresh with increased enthusiasm.

The delegates took up the demonstration with a will and helped to maintain it for a long time.

On the full side of the gallery a number of men were seen to splash and utter cries of "Lodge" and "Lodge" but broke out again in the floor below.

Pulled Off His Coat. One Indiana delegate pulled off his coat and swung it around and around the hall while he went to yell after all. The cheering died away but broke out again with renewed vigor the delegates giving an important part in the demonstration.

Several times several attempts to continue his speech but it every effort the cheering would break out and he finally gave up the idea and walked slowly back to his seat. A pleased expression on his face, waiting for the opportunity to leave.

President's Daughter Smiles. Representative Nicholas Longworth the son-in-law of the President and Alice Roosevelt Longworth sat watching the spectacle with smiling countenances but neither of them made any effort to participate in the cheering.

The convention hall added to the demonstration from time to time playing The Star Spangled Banner and other patriotic selections.

A riot time in the Old Town tonight caught a quick response from the crowd.

M. H. Fairbanks, a brother of the vice president who occupied a seat in the platform, after the cheering had continued.

CONVENTION HALL,
Chicago, June 17.—Convention at 5 p. m. recessed until 10 a. m. tomorrow.

ATTEMPT TO MURDER RUSSIAN POLICE CHIEF

Baku Official Wounded by Explosion of Bomb

BAKU, June 17.—An attempt was made in this city today to kill Chief of Police Ney of Baku by exploding two powerful infernal machines. Ney and two policemen were wounded and a sergeant of police killed. The police were lured into searching in an unoccupied building. While they were going through the house two bombs were exploded and the house wrecked.

CONSTABLE'S AUCTION SALE

We have been instructed to sell goods in the case of the Merchants Protective Association vs. Frank C. Kutz, and also pianos and household furniture of R. E. McDonald and others. Sale 1009 Clay street near Ninth, Oakland, Friday, June 19, at 10:30 a. m. Consisting in part: One upright piano, lace curtains, pictures, rugs, carpets, Morris chairs, stumps, oak panel pieces, iron bedstead, room suite, bookcases, iron mattresses, bedding, extension tables, chairs, sideboards, glass and chinaware, kitchen furniture, crock, stoves, ice boxes, sewing machines, trunks, boxes, etc. etc. All must be sold. Auctioneers: 1005-7-9 Clay street, Oakland. Telephone Oakland 4671.

PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE OF TWO CARLOADS OF NEW FURNITURE.

Friday and Saturday, June 19th and 20th, at 10:30 and 2:30, corner of Harrison and Twelfth streets. I will sell to the highest bidder a fine and complete assortment of: For: Chamber and Dining-room Furniture in Mahogany Weathered Oak in Light Birch Maple and imitation. Mission Chairs and Rockers, Upright Chairs, Davenport Couches, Desks with French Plant Mirrors, 75 Line Dress and Evening Iron Beds and Mattresses. N. B.—This sale offers a rare chance to secure new furniture at a low price. L. L. LON, Auctioneer.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts Accepting the Permanent Chairmanship of Convention



LEMOINE'S FORMULA FOR MAKING DIAMONDS FALSE

PARIS, June 17.—The Lemoine diamond case created a tremendous sensation in connection with an unexpected climax here today. Lemoine has fled and his famous formula for the manufacture of diamonds is a fantastic farce. Henry Lemoine was taken into custody a few months ago on the charge of having secured money from Julius Wernher, the English diamond merchant, on false pretenses. Lemoine declared he could manufacture diamonds and it is alleged that on this representation he secured a large sum of money from Wernher. Lemoine was released to give him an opportunity to vindicate himself by exhibiting stones of his own manufacture. When the case was called in court today Lemoine did not appear and it was announced that he had fled. In the presence of Wernher, the court then opened the envelope said to contain Lemoine's formula. The paper inside was read, but it contained only a number of fantastic and senseless phrases.

LODGE WIELDS CHAIRMAN'S GAVEL

Second Day of Republican National Convention

CHICAGO, June 17.—The intense atmosphere of the convention was maintained today in a tardy appearance of the delegates at the Coliseum this morning and at 11:30 o'clock an hour after the opening of the doors, there were less than a score of delegates sitting about in the State divisions.

Alternates in Evidence

The alternates were more in evidence however, and their sections in the rear of the regular delegates filled up quite rapidly. There was a same rush of visitors as on yesterday, word having gained circulation that the session was likely to be brief. Half an hour before the time set for the convening there were only a few hundred spectators in the galleries. The capable strong-lunged and eager boss band on its lofty perch hastened to its work this morning and then the void of absent delegates and visitors was filled with the strains of lively music.

Parade of Delegations.

A parade of the many State delegations preceded the assembling of the convention.

Seek Best Seats.

The lack of exciting features in the

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REPRESENTATION NOT TO BE REDUCED

Plan to Curtail the Number of Southern Delegates Fails

CONVENTION HALL, CHICAGO, June 17.—The effort to secure a reduced representation of delegates to the national Republican convention again has failed. By a vote of four to eleven the committee on rules today rejected the Bureau resolution providing for such reduction and also by practically the same vote tabled the Parsons substitute. Representative Burke and his sixteen supporters announced that they would file a minority report.

Opposed by South.

As on yesterday the majority from the south in the Alabama, South Carolina and Maryland delegations, and latterly attacking the delegates from these southern delegations who spoke yesterday in the representation on would

all the disruption of the Republican party in the south. They had the support of General Powell Clayton, national committee man and delegate from Arkansas, who maintained that the resolution was simply a proposition to "crucify the colored man and divide his raiment among certain states north of Mason and Dixon's line."

Negro Loyal to Party.

He argued that the negro was loyal to the Republican party but if he was cast to "the enemy" there was nothing left to him but to make the best terms he can with those to whom he had been consigned. The Democratic party will take every negro vote it can get," he said, "and whenever the negroes commence to vote the Democratic ticket, the Democratic party will count their votes north and south. Besides, he said, the proposition was illogical.

BOY IS DROWNED

Body of Missing Lad Found in Park Lake.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—In the comparatively shallow waters of Hobbs lake, one of the smaller of the chain of lakes in the western end of Golden Gate park and near Thirty-fifth avenue and the south drive, the body of a ten-year-old Cyril Robinson was found by a posse of police officers who had searched for him all the morning shortly before 12 o'clock. The little lad, who lost his companion Milton Valentine, a crowd at the stadium on Saturday afternoon probably either wandered through the wooded section of the park in search of the path home, or, indulged in the propensity common to all boys to playing in the water, may have fallen in and been drowned with no one near to hear his cry for aid. At 7:45 this morning, under orders from Chief of Police Biggs, Detective Sergeant McMahon, Sergeant Egan, a posse of police officers left the park station and spread over the one-thousand-acre tract, scouring every tree and hollow and looking into every crevice which might hide a human form and then proceeded to drag the smaller lakes. At 11:45 the lad's body was found, and his parents, who live at 548 Franklin street, were immediately notified.

ADDRESS BY SENATOR LODGE

In Eloquent Words Statesman Tells What Republicans Have Done and What They Will Do.

CHICAGO, June 17.—On assuming his office as permanent chairman of the Republican National Convention, Senator Lodge made an address dealing with the issues of the campaign. Senator Lodge's address follows:

Speech of Senator Lodge.

Senator Lodge said: Gentlemen of the convention: I thank you most sincerely for the great honor you have done me in choosing me to preside over your deliberations. For it is a great honor to be the presiding officer of the Republican National Convention. I can conceive of no other convention where the honor of such a post as that now occupied by me is so great, and where, if excellence is present, pleasures are conspicuous by its absence. But to be the presiding officer of a Republican convention is ever a high distinction to which no man can be insensible. Gentlemen of the convention, again I thank you.

I shall not delay or detain you with many words. Your resolutions will set forth the principles of the party and declare the policies upon which we shall stand for the support of the people of the United States. With fullness and with eloquence, your temporary chairman has already reviewed the history of the party, has given you an account of what has been done and has set forth what we hope and mean to do.

Momentous Duty.

My duty is merely to add you, so far as I can, in the orderly and prompt transaction of the business which has brought us together. That business is momentous—nothing less than to name here the two men who speaking with the simplicity of truth, will be the next President and Vice-President of the United States. In order to win for them, and for our party, an assured as well as a merited victory, we must defeat our opponents, whose exclusion from power is desired by the country and deserved by them.

No political party in modern times can show such a record of achievement during the last fifty years as the Republican party. Upon that record we can stand and challenge all comers to the lists. But it is well to remember that the test we have to meet is much less severe. This is a comparative world.

Scores Democratic Phantom.

We do not go forth to contest the great prize with an ideal party which we sometimes see beautifully depicted by persons of self-conscious superiority and chronic discontent. The glittering abstraction which they present never existed yet on sea or land. It glows upon us in printer's ink but it has neither substance nor organization not candidates for organization and candidates must be taken from the ranks of men and cannot be the floating phantoms of an uneasy dream.

The American people must choose next November between us and the Democratic party. With the Democratic party and with that alone must the comparison be made.

A Glorious Past.

We differ from that party in some important particulars. We both, it is true, have a past and a history, but we treat those possessions very differently. They wish to keep their past a profound secret. We seek by all means to publish ours to the world. If we refer to their history they charge us with calumny. We regard ours, truthful and unadorned, as our greatest glory.

Old-Time War Cries.

Recall the cries which have sounded from the lips of these two parties during the last half century. On the one side—"Slavery, secession, repudiation of the public debt, free trade, free trade, free silver, the overthrow of the courts and government ownership."

On the Republican side, "Free soil, free men, the union, the payment of the debt, honest money, protection to American industry, the gold industry, the maintenance of law, of order and of the courts and the government regulation of great corporations."

Dead and Damned.

The old shibboleths of the Democrats are today the epitaphs of policies which are dead and damned. They serve only to remind us of dangers escaped or to warn us of perils to be shunned. The battle cries of the Republicans have been the watchwords of great causes. They tell of victories won and triumphs tasted—they are embodied in the laws and mark the stepping stones by which the Republic has risen to ever greater heights of power and prosperity.

One Great Fact.

As we thus call up the past and the echoes of those old conflicts again sound in our ears and touch the chords of memory, one great fact stands forth clear and shining. The Republican party has never failed except when it has faltered. Our long career of victory, so rarely broken, has been due to our meeting boldly each question as it arose; to our facing every danger as it crossed our path, with entire courage, fearless of consequences and determined only to be true to the principles which brought the party into existence and to the spirit which has inspired it from its birth.

Took Up Dread Burden.

We faced secession rather than assent to the extension of slavery. Rather than submit to secession we took up the dread burden of civil war. But a few years ago we permitted thousands of Republicans to leave us, thereby imperiling our political power rather than abandon the gold standard and plunge the country into disaster and dishonor.

In these latest years, as in the most remote, we have been true to our tradition. In the process of development a point was reached where the country was confronted by a situation more perilous than any it has ever faced except in the Civil War and we Republicans were, therefore, obliged to deal with problems of the most complex and difficult character.

Did Not Shirk Task.

To our honor, be it said, we have not shrunk from the task. Much has been done, much, no doubt, still remains to do, but the great underlying principles have been established and upon them we can build as necessity arises, carefully and deliberately. I have spoken of the seriousness of the situation with which the country was confronted. Its gravity can hardly be over-estimated. It grew out of conditions and was the result of forces beyond the control of men. Science and invention, the two great factors in this situation, have not only altered radically human environment and our relations to nature, but in their application, they have revolutionized economic conditions.

Changed Economic Conditions.

These changed economic conditions have, in turn, affected profoundly society and politics. They have led, among other things, to combinations of capital and labor on a scale and with a power never before witnessed. They have opened the way to accumulations of wealth in masses beyond the dreams of avarice and never before contemplated by man.

New Problems to Solve.

The social and political problems thus created are wholly new. It is a fallacy to suppose that because the elements are old the problem itself must, therefore, differ only in degree from those which have gone before. The elements may be old but the problem presented by a change in the proportion of the elements may be, and in this case is, entirely new.

Great individual fortunes and rich men are, it is true, as old as recorded history. Nearly two thousand years ago the tax farmers of Rome formed a "trust" for their own profit and protection; the English people, three centuries ago, revolted against the patents

and monopolies granted by Elizabeth and James to their courtiers and monopolists, forestallers and speculators in the necessities of life, were a curse in our revolution and bitterly denounced by Washington. Yet it is none the less true that the same things today present questions different in kind as well as in degree from their predecessors.

Swollen Fortunes.

It is the huge size of private fortunes, the vast extent and power of modern combinations of capital, made possible by present conditions, which have brought upon us, in these later years, problems portentous in their possibilities and threatening, not only our social and political welfare, but even our personal freedom, if they are not boldly met and wisely solved.

No Fanatic Hatred.

The great body of the American people, neither very rich nor very poor, the honest, the thrifty, the hard-working, the men and women who earn and save, have no base envy—no fanatic hatred of wealth, whether individual or corporate, if it has been honestly gained and is wisely and generously employed with a sense of responsibility to the public. But this great body of our people, by habit and instinct alike, wisely conservative, these people, who are the bone and sinew of our country and upon whom its fortunes and its safety rest, began to observe, with deep alarm, the rapid manifestations of the new economic conditions.

Spirit of Distrust.

More and more they came to believe that these vast fortunes and these huge combinations of capital were formed and built up by tortuous and dishonest means and through a cynical disregard of the very laws which the mass of the people were compelled to obey. They began to fear that political power was being reared from their hands and put into the possession of the money holders, that their duty and rights were in danger, that their hopes of success and advancement were cut off by business systems which they could not understand but by which the individual was sacrificed and held down.

Violent Counsels.

To those who looked beneath the surface an ominous unrest was apparent. The violent counsels of violent men, who aimed at the destruction of property and the overthrow of law, began to be heard and barked upon them, the great order-loving, industrious masses of the American people turned away from these advocates of violence but, at the same time, demanded that their government should give them, in lawful and reasonable ways, the protection to which they were entitled, against the dangers they justly apprehended.

What Republicans Have Done.

The great duty of fulfilling these righteous demands, like all the great public services of the last half century, was imposed upon the Republican party and they have not flinched from the burden. Under the lead of the President, the Republican party has grappled with the new problems, born of the new condition. It has been no light task. Dangerous extremes threatened on either hand.

On the one side were the radicals of reaction, who resisted any change at all; on the other side were the radicals of destruction who wished to change everything. These two forces of reactionism are as far apart as the output of the poles, but, when carried out, they lead alike to revolution. Between these two extremes the Republican President and the Republican Congress were compelled to steer and while they advanced steadily, soberly and effectively, they were obliged to repel the radical assaults on either hand.

Much Has Been Done.

Yet, notwithstanding all these difficulties, much has been accomplished. The response of the people to the policies urged by the President has been so emphatic that it has been marvellous for all that the government of the United States is never to be dominated by money and financial interests, and that the political party which permits itself to be ruled by them is thereby doomed to defeat.

Policy of the Party.

The policy of the Republican party, in dealing with these new and formidable questions which have taken concrete form in enormous combinations of capital and in great public service corporations, has been formulated and determined. That policy is to use government regulations and supervision for the control of corporations and combinations so that these great and necessary instruments of commerce and business may be preserved as useful servants and not destroyed because they have threatened to become dangerous masters.

This policy is the absolute opposite of government ownership and all the measures advocated by our opponents, which tend directly to Socialism and to all its attendant miseries and evils.

Old and New Laws.

It is in pursuance of this policy, shaped and settled, during the past few years, that old laws have been enforced and new ones enacted. Nothing is more destructive to the respect for law—the chief bulwark of civilized society—than to place laws upon the statute book in order merely to still public clamor and satisfy the people but which it is never intended to enforce. The worst laws imaginable are those which are allowed to rust, unused, because, if enforced, they might interfere with vested

abuses or curb the rich and powerful.

Tribute to Roosevelt.

The President has enforced the laws as he found them on the statute book. For this performance of his sworn duty he has been bitterly attacked. It was to be expected. Vested abuses and profitable wrongs cry out loudly when their entrenchments are carried and some one is sure to be hurt when the bayonets of the law are pushed home.

In the great American electorate money has few votes but it can command many voices and cause many birds to sing. The result is that the President is the best abused and the most popular man in the United States today. He has been more abused than any President except Washington, Lincoln and Grant.

Loved by the People.

He possesses the love and confidence of the American people to a degree never equaled except by Lincoln and Washington. May it not be said, in sober truth, that the fearless performance of a sworn duty is not without its exceeding great reward?

But the work has not ceased with the enforcement of existing laws. A Republican Congress and a Republican President have placed new laws upon the statute books, designed to carry out the Republican policy of government regulation in a safe, reasonable and effective manner. The Elkins law, aimed at preferential rebates, which have been the curse of our transportation and commerce, the railroad rate law, which made the supervision of railroads more effective; and the pure food law, which has been, in the highest degree, beneficial to the masses of our people, are all monuments of the policy and the labors of the Republican party.

Refusal of Renomination.

The President, who has led his party and the people in this great work, refuses, by his own determination, from his high office on the 4th of March next. His refusal of a renomination dictated by the loftiest motives and by a noble loyalty to American traditions, is final and irrevocable. Any one who attempts to use his name as a candidate for the Presidency impugns both his sincerity and his good faith, two of the President's greatest and most shining qualities. Upon which no shadow has ever been cast. That man is no friend to Theodore Roosevelt and does not cherish his name and fame, who now, from any motive, seeks to urge him as a candidate for the great office which he has finally declined. The President has refused what his countrymen would gladly have given him; he says what he means and means what he says and his party and his country will respect his wishes as they honor his high character and great public service.

Pledged to His Policies.

But although the President retires he leaves his policies behind him. To those policies the Republican party stands pledged. We must carry out as we have begun, regardless alike of the radicals of reaction and the radicals of revolution. We must hold fast to that which is good while we make the advances which the times demand.

We ask for the confidence and support of the American people because we have met the problems of the day and have tried patiently to solve them. We appeal for votes and for the power they confer because we uphold the President's policies and shall continue to sustain them. We make our appeal with confidence because we have a well defined policy and are not, like our opponents, fumbling in the dark to find some opinion on something.

Law and Order.

We believe in the maintenance of law and order and in the support of the courts in all their rights and dignity. We believe in equal rights for all men and are opposed to special privileges for any men or any class of men, high or low, rich or poor. We, who established the gold standard, are pledged to the cause of sound finance.

Stand for Protection.

We stand for protection to American industry and American labor and we will resist all the assaults of free trade under whatever name it comes disguised. We will see in the defense of the country, we will have a navy worthy of the American name. We seek peace and friendship with all the nations but alliance with none. Yet we have no intention of being a "hermit nation." The great services of the President to the world's peace will be continued by the party which he has led. We are a party fit to rule and govern, to legislate and administer, and not a fortuitous collection of atoms whose only form of thought or motion is to oppose. Above all we are true to our traditions and to our past. True now as we were in the days of Lincoln.

In this spirit we must prevail—by this sign we must conquer.

WEILDS GAVEL

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session of yesterday produced an effect upon the public at large even more apparent than that evidenced by the tardy appearance of the delegates. The seats at the extreme north end of the hall, in which so many sit and hear not a single word of the proceedings were practically deserted. Those in the gallery nearer the speakers' stand, where one word in ten can be distinguished, were more plentifully sprinkled with people, while up at the south end, where a definite idea of the proceedings is possible of attainment, were filed fifteen minutes before 12 o'clock, the hour set for the opening of the convention.

Less Confusion.

There was much less bustle and confusion throughout the hall today than at the first session. The public generally had a better idea of the location of their seats and "chairmen" New's numerous sergeants-at-arms had advised an idea that the aisles were for people to use and not for them to blockade. The result was much less uproar.

The Merry Widow Hat.

After the band had rendered a number of airs, while a gowning lady wearing an extensive merry widow hat adorned with pink roses sang, and for an encore gave "My Old Kentucky Home" in a manner which called forth much applause,

particularly from the Kentucky delegation.

By 12 o'clock the delegates were pouring through the doors and the halls were filled—too well filled, in fact, for complaint was made by the fire authorities at the way in which the aisles and doorways were blocked up. In a few minutes a force of police were sent to clear them.

Climb Into Gallery.

Many people occupying the passage-ways were not possessed of tickets entitling them to seats and they were compelled to climb to the gallery and fill what little standing room there was remaining in that quarter.

The Ohio delegation came in today provided with red felt penants attached to canes and bearing a likeness of Secretary Taft with the words "Our Candidate" underneath. They set the flags to waving at every opportunity and their section was a bright spot of color in the rather somber background of the main floor.

Patriotic Music.

As on yesterday the big crowd was brought to its feet with patriotic promptness by the strains of "The Red, White and Blue" from the gallery, but again their response was not in vain, for the audience, amid cheers and plaudits, quickly drifted into "The Star Spangled Banner."

Called to Order.

At 12 15 Senator Burrows brought down his gavel with a thump and thump and announced in a voice inaudible less "Waters of Chicago."

Mr. Waters, a young and athletic-looking clergyman, read his prayer from a small, well-worn prayer book, it being a than ten feet distant.

The invocation will be by Rev. Wm. O. part of the regular service of the Episcopal Church.

Join in Lord's Prayer.

His voice, one of the best yet heard in the convention, was heard throughout the hall without effort, and he was followed with deep and respectful attention. As he closed with the Lord's Prayer many of the delegates followed him.

Harry Daugherty of Ohio, from the committee on credentials, asked for recognition as soon as the prayer was ended. He announced that the committee had been in continuous session throughout the night, had completed its work and would be able to present its report to the convention within an hour. There was no possibility of transacting business until the report was presented and the convention settled down to await its arrival.

No Minority Report.

Mayor Bookwiler of Indianapolis, one of the leaders of the allies in presenting contents to the national committee and the committee on credentials, authorized the statement upon arriving at the convention that the idea of presenting a minority report from the credentials committee had been abandoned.

On motion of Mr. Warden of Michigan the convention invited to a place on the platform C. G. Proctor of St. Joseph.

DOLLIVER DESIRES FAIRBANKS RENOMINATED

CHICAGO, June 17.—Hon. George F. Perkins received the following from Senator Dolliver expressing his opinion that Vice-President Fairbank should be renominated:

"I think Mr. Fairbanks ought to be renominated in case Mr. Taft should be chosen. Mr. Fairbanks has secured his relations with public life by accepting the office of Vice-President."

Mich., who was a delegate to the Lincoln convention in Chicago forty-eight years ago.

Marching Clubs.

An Secretary Mallory concluded his announcement of the Warden resolution of the day of drums was heard outside the hall and in another second the east door was opened and in came the band heading parade of the Indiana delegates, which they returned with interest. As was the case with Pennsylvania, Indiana cheered on until supported by the voices of many other delegates.

Cheered for Knox.

The aisle was not ideal marching ground and collisions were frequent on the aisles. The Pennsylvania delegates, holding high their umbrellas, some of red, white and blue and others of wild shades of yellow and black.

Blaine Club.

Behind the Knox enthusiasts came the American Party Club of Pittsburg, led by a large band. Then came the Young men's Latin Club of Cincinnati, who were tall white hats and carried small umbrellas. The crowd of delegates produced frenzy in the Ohio delegation. Instantly every man was on his feet, the red flags tossed up and cheer after cheer rang through the hall.

Bore Taft Banner.

The banner with the face of Secretary Taft and the Ohio men screamed and danced about while the band in the gallery struck up "Hail to the Chief," which it has, by some coincidence, played ever since the blue banner has been flung to the air.

The Cannon Boom.

Following the Blaine Club there came a distinct boom in the way of a ban playing "Tammara" and then a big deluge of victory from Louisville, lines waving small flags with "Cannon" on them and a larger banner announcing them as "United Boys of Uncle Joe."

Gorgeous Drum Major.

The Pennsylvania drum major was the most gorgeous personage who had entered the convention hall. He carried a "Knox" and "We must have Knox" and the "United Boys of Uncle Joe" band was echoed by their delegates.

and no man in the history of the Government has proved so satisfactory as a presiding officer of the Senate. If he is not available it looks to me as if we ought to find some strong man in New York. If it is thought the nomination ought to go to the West let us pick up some bright young man in the Pacific States who could be relied upon to make a good campaign."

who took to their feet and waved vigorously their blue Knox pennants.

Indiana Has Her Turn.

still another band came roaring through the doorway and it was the turn of Indiana. Behind the band, wearing white caps with black bands, were the members of the Marion Marching Club of Indiana, which had arrived in the city but a short time before.

They were given an enthusiastic greeting by the Indiana delegates, which they returned with interest. As was the case with Pennsylvania, Indiana cheered on until supported by the voices of many other delegates.

When they had passed, along came a group of men who, as far as appearances went, might have been designated as "Unassigned." They quickly declared their partisanship by bursting out into a cheer more or less melodiously rendered, the burden of which was "Yell for William Taft."

Some God Singing.

After the last singing had marched along the Columbus Republican Glee Club of Columbus, Ohio, marched in front of the speaker's rostrum and gave some real music, singing "Dixie" and "The Star Spangled Banner." In a manner that brought forth cheers from the spectators. Then they sang "Ohio" and a song setting forth the manifold merits of their delegates.

Stage Elephant.

Bringing up the rear of the departing Ohioans was a large stage elephant decorated with American flags and bearing a banner of the Hermit Club of Chicago. The elephant was led by a man dressed in "Uncle Sam" costume.

ALLEGED TO HAVE STOLEN A FEW CHERRIES

For the alleged taking of a handful of cherries from a car in the West Oakland freight yard, Jacob Day, a young car inspector, was arrested last night by Railroad Police man M. Maher on a charge of petty larceny. This morning the case was dismissed by Police Judge Samuels at the request of the prosecuting attorney.

ARRESTED FOR KEEPING SQUIRREL IN CAPTIVITY

G. H. Heizer, a merchant, 37 years of age, was arrested today at his home, 1505 Grove street, by Deputy Game Commissioner E. McMillan on a misdemeanor charge. Heizer is accused of keeping a squirrel in captivity. He furnished \$25 bail for his release.

FULL VALUE RANGES

You are missing something good if you have not seen our stock of Stoves and Ranges, and the prices we are selling them for.

For a Coal or Wood Range you should see our "Hub" line—the best kitchen Range ever put out by any factory. Strong—well, we should say so! Built to last. Lots of them have been used a generation and are good as ever.

Firebox just the right size, with oval ends—no dead corners. It saves fuel.

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Oven is spacious and heated on five sides. (Ordinary ovens get heat on four sides only.) Perfect baking guaranteed.

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The Estate Gas Range is strictly high-class. Constructed for Durability and Economy.

Triple Walls of Ovens, which can never burn out. Made of two sheets of steel with a layer of asbestos between. They keep the heat inside the range. No waste of Heat with an Estate.

Patent Oven Ventilation supplies constantly fresh hot air free from fumes. This insures Perfect Baking.

Original Conjugated Sawed Burners. Give more heat with less gas than any other burner. This is proved by the way they have been imitated, more or less poorly, by other makers.

The original and most economical sawed burner is made only by the Estate factories for Estate Gas Ranges.

Ten different Patterns, Thirty different Styles to choose from.

GAS RANGE SPECIAL

Call in and see this Special Gas Cooker. Has 4 cooking burners and a simmering burner, besides oven burners; large baking oven and roomy broiler oven. Size of top, 33x19 inches. The top is heavy, very strong and durable. It lifts up for cleaning out around burners, etc. Handsome nickel trimmings add to attractive appearance. Guaranteed to be a Perfect Baker.

Special Price this week—Set up and Connected—only \$16.50

An unusual chance to get a good, fully guaranteed Gas Range very cheap.

Remember, no charge for connecting.

A large stock of Oil and Gasoline Stoves, Wood, Coal and Gas Ranges, both Cast Iron and Steel, at lowest prices. All fully guaranteed.

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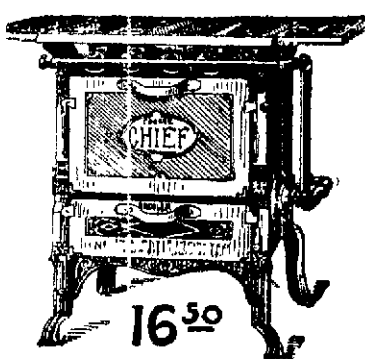
We are not giving away anything with these Ranges. You know, as well as we do, that everything you get has to be paid for somehow. We believe you prefer the full value in the Range, and that's what you get when you buy a Hub or an Estate.

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SAN FRANCISCO—Market and Mason—Polk and Sutter



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ing water, cool and serve. 10c. or package at
all grocers. 17 flavors. Refuse all substitutes.

WEDNESDAY EVENING
**ASKS OAKLAND MERCHANTS
TO IGNORE ALAMEDA LAW**
Merchants' Exchange Says License Illegal

The Merchants' Exchange is up in arms against the Alameda ordinance which requires delivery wagon drivers to obtain a license. The exchange says the ordinance is illegal and that it will permit them to deliver goods in the Alameda City. Since Friday the Alameda police have been making wholesale arrests of Oakland merchants according to the report received in the Merchants' Exchange last night.

Deliveriesmen Arrested
Directors Fred Sinclair and E. I. Muller said their deliverymen were arrested and Director J. C. Downey told about the case of the W. P. Fuller Company's team being held up for the reason that the driver had no license. Downey who is manager of the company here will confer with the matter.

Says Ordinance Illegal
Members of the exchange declare that the Alameda ordinance which taxes everything from a game of

**STOLE FOR
MONEY TO
WED**

**Heartheart Said to Have Urged
Confessed Thief to Make
Clean Breast of
His Crime.**

John A. Anderson, the former employee of the United Cigar Store Company, who confessed to the local police that he had stolen the company's store at Tenth and Washington streets and robbed the safe of nearly \$500 was held to answer to the superior court on a charge of burglary. Police Judge Smith is holding Anderson in order to wed a young woman of this city, whose name the police refuse to divulge. It is also said that this young man induced Anderson to make a full confession of his crime. It is understood that an effort will be made to pit Anderson on probation. He is represented by Attorney Albert Elliot, a counsellor in this city.

At the Prosecution
At the preliminary examination this morning the prosecution was assisted by Attorney John B. Smith, of San Francisco, who is taking an interest in the prosecution of Anderson. Testimony was introduced at the preliminary hearing this morning, showing that Anderson was formerly an employee of a cigar company and that while he was acting as a clerk in the Tenth and Washington streets store he took a key to the door and to the safe and had duplicated the key by a locksmith. The money that was taken was found in Anderson's trunk and is now in possession of the police.

**Highest Grade
FLOUR**
Special — 50 lb. sack
\$1.25
Absolutely guaranteed in every way. Money back if you want it.

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PACKAGE STORES
12th and Harrison Sts.

Free to the Afflicted!
To further introduce the DRS. BOLLEY & LOBAY, we will give to all sufferers who call this WEEK FREE TREATMENT. UNLIMITED. We are making no charge for our services. Our cures are our best advertisement. When you are cured you will naturally recommend our treatment and the benefit will be mutual.

A TALK ON CATARRH
Catarrh of the head causes deafness. Catarrh of the head causes your breath. Catarrh of the head causes Catarrh of the Stomach. Catarrh of the Stomach causes Cancer of the Stomach. Catarrh of the Stomach causes DEATH. If you have a cough or catarrh dropping in the throat, ringing noises in the ears, weakness, lame back, headaches, stomach, liver, bladder, kidney trouble or constipation, you are invited to call.
Hours 10 to 4 FREE CONSULTATION
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**GOMPERS PRESENTS THE
PLANK LABOR DESIRES**

What Is Wanted by the American Federation of Labor Leader

CHICAGO June 17 — When the subcommittee of thirteen of the resolution committee began business at 10 o'clock the doors of their assembly room were thrown open temporarily for the purpose of granting a twenty minutes hearing to representatives of the American Federation of Labor and to those of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association.

Gompers Addresses Committee.
President Samuel Gompers and vice-president Krefe and Duncan appeared for

Labor is the superior of capital and deserves much more consideration. Through his wise and humane policy the shackles were stricken from the limbs of 4,000,000 chattel slaves. The Republican party has been the staunch defender of property and property rights, yet holds and declares that personal rights and human liberty must of necessity be entitled to the first and highest consideration. Recognizing the new conditions arising from our marvelous industrial development, our people and our nation realize that the fact that the wheels of industry and commerce of our time require that new laws and new concepts of law must be enacted to conform to modern industry and commerce and advance freedom in line therewith.

Farmer and Fruit Grower.

We therefore pledge the Republican party to the enactment of a law by Congress guaranteeing to the wage earner agriculturists and horticulturists of our country the right of organized effort to the end that such associations or its members shall not

be regarded as illegal combinations in restraint of trade.
As To Injunctions
We pledge ourselves to the enactment of a law to prohibit the issuance of injunctions in cases arising out of labor disputes when such injunctions would not apply when no labor disputes existed; and that in no case shall an injunction be issued when there exists a remedy by the ordinary process of law, and which act shall provide that in the procedure for the punishment of contempt of court the party cited for contempt shall, when such contempt was not committed in the actual presence of the court, be entitled to a trial by jury.

The Eight-Hour Day.

We pledge the Republican party to the enactment of an act extending the existing eight hour day to all government employees and to all workers, whether employed by contractors or sub contractors doing work for or on behalf of the Federal government.

enactment of a law by Congress as far as Federal jurisdiction extends, a general employers' liability act, injury to body or loss of life of employees.
Woman Suffrage.
We pledge the Republican party to the enactment of a law to the extent of Federal jurisdiction granting woman's suffrage and to submit a constitutional amendment for ratification to the states for the absolute suffrage of women on equal with men. We pledge the Republican party to the enactment of a law creating a department of labor, separate from any existing department, with a secretary in its head having a seat in the President's cabinet.

INNER HONGKONG MARU IS SAFELY FLOATED

HONGKAI June 17 — The Japanese liner Hongkong Maru, which went ashore near Woosung on the night of June 9 during a heavy rain storm, was refloated.

'I Never Saw Such Pricing On Good Merchandise in all My Life --- WILLIE

I'll Bet We Clean Up Every Thing on Sale the First Week --- WILLIE

The Annual Clean-Up Time Has Arrived

Tomorrow our eight big windows will hold a display of satisfactory merchandise such as you always find in this store, and it is our desire that you see what we are offering. THE PLAIN, CANDID STATEMENT IS THIS: We carry the largest stock of men's and boys' wearing apparel on the Pacific Coast, in each year there comes a time when we must clean up odd lots and broken sizes, and we are going to do it this time at a price that is surely interesting. Therefore, we want you to see our window showing where some of the many bargains are on display. A brief description of others follows:

Men's Two-Piece Outing Suits
We can frankly say that the reductions we are making are absolutely fair, and this price gives you any outing suit in the house including blue serge, single and double breasted, plain grays and fancy mixtures, marked from \$12.50 to \$25; for --- **\$7.75**

20% Off on All Regular MEN'S SUITS
About 75 mens' three-piece regular suits in a good selection of sizes and patterns marked from \$12.50 to \$17.50; for --- **\$7.75**

20% Off on Any TUXEDO or FULL DRESS SUIT in the House

Young Men's Suits
You can have a splendid choice from about sixty young men's suits in good values that are marked from \$10 to \$20 where we have just one of a kind. You will see them on display in our juvenile window at --- **\$5.00**

Eighty pairs of outing pants in good patterns in light and dark gray effects. Just the thing for golf or any sort of an outing. Regular \$2.50 to \$5.00 values --- **\$1.85**

Fancy Vests
Three hundred fancy vests. All patterns and sizes. This is the biggest cut of all. These vests are marked from \$2.50 up. You will see them on display in our big center window and the clean-up price is --- **\$1.65**

20% Off on Any OVERCOAT in the House

Fifty Men's Lounging Robes
Five dollar values for --- **\$2.95 each**

20% on All Regular 'YOUTHS' and YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

Misses Mannish Top Coats, Ages 10 to 18 years
Seventy-five coats in new up-to-date cuts, gray and brown effects, velvet collar, marked from \$10 to \$20. Get the choice of these by coming early --- **\$7.75**

Boys' Corduroy Working Long Pants
All sizes regular price \$2.00; now --- **\$1.45**

Wash Suits in Sailor and Russian Blouses
That are marked \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00; for --- **98c**
That are marked \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00; for --- **\$1.98**

About Thirty Five Boys' Two-Piece Straight Knee Pants Suits
Marked from \$6.95 to \$10 to clean up at --- **\$5 per Suit**

About Twelve Dozen Silk Mixed Plain and Fancy Golf Shirts With Soft Collars
Regular \$2.50 to \$3.50. All sizes for --- **\$1.65**

About Twenty Dozen Cluett Fancy Golf Shirts
Cuffs separate or attached. Regular value \$1.50. All sizes now --- **95c**

One Case Mens Tan Cotton Ribbed Underwear
The fifty cent kind for a garment --- **33c**

Any of Our G. & M. Fancy Underwear
The Five-Dollar Value at --- **\$4 per Suit**

All of This Season's New Blocks in Soft Straw Hats
That are marked from \$2.50 for --- **\$1.85**

Trunks, Suit Cases and Leather Goods
A straight 20% off while the sale lasts.

SALE BEGINS THURSDAY, JUNE 18th, '08
and Lasts Until We Clean Up the Limited Amount of Broken Stock We Have to Offer

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1107-1117 Washington St., Oakland

CREAM FOR EGG-NOGGS IS CLAIM

Tabulous Prices Charged for Meals Furnished to the Late Worthington S. Lyons and Wife.

Fabulous prices for egg noggs, each made of a pint of cream, fancy steaks and other dainties prepared for the late Worthington S. Lyons and his wife were all forthcoming according to the argument of Attorney Andrew Thorne this morning in his talk to the jury in Judge Harris court where the claim of J. Danielson for \$2700 is being heard.

Many Dainties.
Danielson says he and his family furnished many dainties for the aged boarder and his wife who had suddenly come into wealth and when Lyons died he left the bills unpaid. Danielson brought suit against the administrator of the estate to recover the money he claims is due him.

Epicurean Tastes.
The Danielson family told many strange stories to the jury concerning the epicurean tastes of Lyons and his wife and Attorney Thorne for the estate is endeavoring to make them appear as imaginary.

Bath for Canary.
It is a word they didn't charge for bathing the pet canary bird, the case Lyon said the attorney this morning in his argument to the jury.

This afternoon Attorney Fred I. Burton began arguments for the plaintiff. The case will probably be submitted to the jury late today or tomorrow morning.

URGES UNION OF COUNTY AND CITIES

Assessor Dalton Declares Consolidation Would Mean Great Reduction in Taxes

The Merchants Exchange held its regular Wednesday luncheon this afternoon in the St. Mark Hotel. The speaker of the occasion was Assessor Henry P. Dalton who urged city and county consolidation declaring it the most important question before property owners. He quoted figures to prove that under city and county government the tax payers of this county would save \$1,950,000 annually and have better streets, police and fire protection.

Musical Program.
A short musical program was arranged. Miss Gladys Powell played a piano solo and St. Almo Powell sang.

Those present were: W. C. Naph, D. Greinfield, G. L. Blainard, August L. Gerhardt, L. L. Layman, Chas. H. Eber, D. M. G. Campbell, Sig. Klein, Ed. Greenhood of Berkeley, P. N. Hanrahan, J. P. Edgar, A. B. Weeks, O. M. Fung, H. K. Duncan, J. K. Keller, John J. McGuinness, J. I. Matthews, Theo. C. A. Jones, W. L. Gibson, Edwin Stearns, H. C. Campbell, Henry P. Dalton, Henry C. Williams, W. L. Dimock, George H. Voss, W. N. Jenkins, R. Samuels, A. W. Hargraves, George Read, Ernest A. Duvernier, George A. Hughes, F. Strickland, J. Gellman, D. C. Brown, C. W. Jones, John A. M. Kinney, Geo. W. Arpel, Robert Robertson, A. J. Lucas, Wallace M. Hargraves, J. J. White, H. O. Jones, H. M. L. C. Stratford, D. Franklin Oliver, A. G. Galt.

DEATH ACCIDENTAL, SAYS CORONER'S JURY

A coroner's jury this afternoon brought in a verdict of accidental death in the case of W. G. McElwain, a car conductor, who was killed last Thursday night at his home, 680 Eighteenth street. It was thought at first that McElwain had killed himself but no evidence was introduced at the inquest today to show that he had taken his own life.

FACTORY AGENT

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22ND AND GROVE

We give away 10 Specials and you must be at the store at that certain hour to get same. Thursday only.

8 and 9 hour only. Oak Rocker —Remember only this hour for \$1.95 Value \$12.00	11 a m to 12 m only Good No. 7 Stove —value \$36— for \$27.50. 1 p m only Butter, creamery 20c roll
9 and 10 a m only Oak Dresser value \$20.00 bet 9 and 10 for \$6.75 Only bet this hour	1 to 2 p m only Morris Chair, leather seat , \$15 value, for \$3.75. 2 to 3 p m only Mattings, all colors 40c, bet this hour for 15c yd.
10 and 11 a m only Box Sea: Diner —only between this hour good value for \$2.50—for 75c.	3 to 4 p m only Summer Rugs, wool, good value , \$10— \$3.65. 4 to 5 p m only Ranch Eggs , 15c doz 5 to 6 p m Box Couch \$3.75

REPUBLICANS TO MEET AND RATIFY

Enthusiastic Taft Men to Gather in This City Saturday Night

The nominations of the National Republican Convention now in session in Chicago will be ratified by the Republicans of this city and county at a meeting which will be held in this city next Saturday night which will be addressed by some of the best speakers in this vicinity.

Preparations are being made for the gathering which promises to be one of the most interesting political events which has ever taken place in this county.

Congressman Knowland

It makes no difference who may happen to be nominated. The nominees will be satisfactory to the members of the party in this part of the world for the reason that all its men whose names are prominently mentioned in connection with either the office of President or Vice President of the United States are men of ability of experience in the affairs of the nation and at the same time men of untarnished reputation.

This demonstration has been decided upon at the suggestion of the Republican State Central Committee in a communication which has been received by the secretary of the Republican County Central Committee of Alameda county which has just been made public.

This letter was read at a meeting of the county central committee which was held yesterday and which was attended by members as follows: J. B. Lanktree, W. P. Woolsey, C. M. Threlkeld, M. J. Hanley, Robert Greig, J. I. Hanson, C. A. Klinkner, J. S. Hanley, R. J. Callaghan, J. C. Mowbray, Ben Woolner and Joe Kirk.

Nominees Satisfactory.

Congressman Joseph R. Knowland was present at the meeting and took occasion to say that the chairman of the Republican State Central committee had stated to him that it was urgent requested that the ratification referred to be held next Saturday night in every county in the State and that the several Republican county central committees could not undertake too early to make arrangements for the demonstration. He was glad, he said to note that the Republicans of the county were alive to the necessity of showing them to be in accord with the ticket which would be named by the national representatives of the party in Chicago. He had spoken to some of the members of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League and had asked if they could not join in the

DEPUTY TREAS. MATTHEWS DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

William H. J. Matthews, chief deputy city treasurer under Treasurer Meese, died this afternoon at 1 o'clock after a short illness at his residence 1305 Bush street.

SNEAK THIEF TOOK EMPTY SUIT CASE

The sneak thief who stole a suit case from H. W. Davis at the Linn-Bay Company as he was standing at the corner of Twelfth street and Broadway, obtained a little for his efforts as the suit case contained only a large amount of painted matter.

Mrs. Laura Spicer of 326 Magnolia street reports that a small suitcase containing \$15 in silver and \$5 in gold was stolen from the room of one of her lodgers.

Mrs. Daisy Bill of 1009 Seventh street has asked the police to find a piano containing \$2 which she says she lost at the corner of thirteenth and Washington streets.

Al Merritt of Melrose reports to the police of this city that a set of harness valued at \$10 was stolen from his premises.

Carl Deschon of 603 Sixteenth street had a bicycle stolen from Tenth and Franklin streets yesterday.

ratification gathering and they had informed them that they thought there would be no reason why they should not jubilate over the ticket because members of their organization certainly would have had a voice in the naming of the candidates.

Everybody of One Mind.

The idea of a ratification was something of which every person present had thought about and all of them said that they were simply waiting for an opportunity to take the initiative. Now that the state organization had set the ball rolling they would get out and leave nothing undone to make the undertaking an unqualified success.

Mr. Threlkeld said that there was no doubt that there would hold a ratification of the Chicago nominees and the more counting a ratification in the effect it would have upon the party in the county and the state. Invitations should be sent out immediately for the purpose of securing the best speakers in the county.

Charles A. Klinkner then made a motion to the effect that in accordance with the suggestion of the Republican State Central Committee it is also that the county central committee of Alameda county should take the purpose of inducing the Chicago nominees to be held next Saturday night.

The motion was seconded by W. P. Woolsey and was carried unanimously. Thereupon J. B. Lanktree moved that a committee for the purpose of making arrangements for the proposed ratification be appointed.

The committee also prevailed and the following members were appointed to serve: Harry S. Anderson, chairman; C. A. Klinkner, Joseph Kirk, Ben Woolner, J. B. Lanktree, C. M. Threlkeld and J. C. Mowbray.

This committee was called to meet this afternoon at which time there were to be six minutes for all music, speakers and other details applied. All the speakers said that they could proceed immediately to work up enthusiasm in the matter although at the same time they admitted that all that they had to do to make the ratification a memorable event was simply to let the people know that the meeting was to be held and the character of the nominees and the patriotism of the members of the Republican party would do the rest.

Organizing Clubs

Mr. Woolner said that the committee should take an interest in the establishment of those clubs and that which a club was organized there should be a member of the committee present who should keep the committee informed as to the progress made throughout the campaign.

The committee adjourned until next Saturday afternoon.

He had been ill but a few days ago, resulting from hemorrhagic pneumonia from which he suffered last night. He was in his forty-fourth year. His day last night, his daughter, Phoebe, aged 17, left the city for an outing in Yosemite. They were accompanied by a number of friends. Shortly after reaching the park, Mr. Matthews was taken ill.

Forced to Return Home.

He was compelled to return home and on this city last evening. Medical attendance was summoned and he died at his residence. He was a native of San Francisco. He was educated in the schools of that city and after passing through the grammar grades took a course in the University of California. He was now known as a high school at the corner of Mason and Grant streets. He had been an assistant principal of the University of California remaining there for some time and subsequently entered upon his business career.

Long in Office

Seven years ago he became connected with the office of city treasurer under the then incumbent of that office, Nelson Taylor. He served as such with him and subsequently acted in the same connection with City Treasurers Bates and Davis. He held the position which he held at the time of his death.

Member of Elks.

Mr. Matthews was one of the earliest and always has been one of the most devoted members of the Elks Lodge No. 212. B. O. C. He filed for military terms the position of a knight of that order. He was a member of the Elks lodge and was a member of the Elks lodge. He was a member of the Elks lodge and was a member of the Elks lodge.

Member of Elks.

Some people are loyal for selfish reasons others because they are unconscious of it and others because it is an inherent trait. With Mr. Matthews loyalty was inherent. It was one of his traits of character and it was a great and good one.

The announcement of the funeral will be made later.

Bubonic Plague Reaches Caracas

CARACAS, June 14.—The dread d L bubonic plague has just come to Caracas which for months has been in the city that it might be spread to a large number which has been the only port of the Gulf.

\$44,600,000 Gold Sent to Germany

NEW YORK, June 17.—Goldman Sachs and Company today engaged \$44,600,000 gold for export to Germany. The gold is to be shipped in several installments. The National City Bank, \$2,500,000 also for Germany. This makes the total \$44,600,000 since the movement began.

BURGLAR IS CAPTURED IN ACT

Hotel Proprietor With Pistol, Forces Thief to Hold Up Hands and Submit to Being Tied.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—A wide-awake and watchful proprietor armed with a revolver and assisted by faithful burglar alarm captured a desperate robber who broke into the First Lake Hotel, Bay and Webster streets at 2 45 a m today.

The hotel has been robbed several times recently and two weeks ago an alarm system was installed. Everything was in readiness therefore when the burglar, who gives his name as John Wagner, entered with a pass key and unconscious of the fact that he had alarmed the household, began taking everything in sight.

Hands Up, Says Proprietor

He had made up a bundle containing twenty-nine silver spoons, thirty five silver forks and numerous knives and other articles when he suddenly heard the command to throw up his hands. Hastily he reached for his revolver thinking to escape capture but E. J. Richardson, the proprietor, who held him covered with his revolver, warned him that another movement with his hands meant instant death and he accordingly submitted to having his hands and feet tied.

Richardson then went to the door of the hotel and fired two shots in the air which attracted the attention of Policeman W. P. Savage. Wagner was soon locked up at the North End station with a charge of burglary placed beside his name.

GIVE WATCH TO POPULAR CLERK

Deputy County Clerk Joseph R. Ford was presented with a handsome gold watch this morning by his fellow deputies in County Clerk Cook's office. Ford leaves Sunday morning for Chicago where he will accept a responsible position with a large wholesale dry goods establishment. As a parting gift his associates gave him the fine piece of jewelry as a token of their appreciation of his services and as a reminder of the sense of appreciation which will follow.

Presentation Speech.

Shortly after the office opened this morning, Deputy Andy Johnson took and Chief Deputy Andy Johnson addressed him with the following words after which the watch was presented. "In the presentation of this small token we desire you to accept our appreciation of your kindly words and influence. During your period of service we have felt that it was good to have you among us and we feel that you will find a sense of appreciation will follow."

Gratified at Success

Though ill with the flu, Ford was gratified at the success of the presentation of the watch. He said that he was very grateful for the gift and that he would be very glad to have the watch with him on his journey.

Judge Cooper to Undergo Operation

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—Judge J. A. Cooper, presiding justice of the District Court of Appeals who has been very ill with an attack of appendicitis, is much better today and his ultimate recovery is confidently expected. Dr. Huntington, attending physician, it has been decided however that an operation is absolutely necessary and it is deemed advisable that it be performed when the justice is not suffering acutely. He will probably be removed tomorrow to the Adler sanatorium and unless unexpected complications should set in the operation will not be performed until next Monday.

Flood Threatens East St. Louis

ST. LOUIS, June 17.—The Mississippi river has reached a stage of 33 feet, four feet above the flood danger line and the levee is completely submerged. The cellars of buildings along the levee are flooded. Five thousand sacks were purchased and hurried to East St. Louis and used today in strengthening temporary levees and repairing weak places in old levees. Mayor Cook is personally conducting the work of safeguarding East St. Louis.

SUDDEN DEATH OF SALVATION ARMY WOMAN

Mrs. Charlotte Williams, a Salvation Army worker who lay on the floor of her home in an unconscious condition from Sunday night until Monday afternoon died last night at her home, 211 East Twelfth street. She was 79 years of age and a native of Indiana. An inquest will be held.

DIES AFTER SICKNESS LASTING HALF HOUR

William D. R. Hanna died last night at his home 120 Athol avenue after an illness of half an hour. Hanna complained of being indigestion and Dr. E. Wood was summoned. The girl who had passed away however, presumably from heart disease. Hanna was 38 years of age and a native of Canada. He was not married and had no children.

WILL CONSIDER CITY FINANCES THIS EVENING

The finance committee of the city council together with Mayor Mott and City Auditor Brown will hold a special meeting this evening. There are several financial matters to be taken up and next week's budget may be considered in an informal way as well as several proposals for changes to regulate the distribution and use of the city funds.

RECORD CATCH FOR SEASON



OVER FORTY-FIVE POUNDS.

Charles R. Smith of Smith Brothers, where he made a record haul of how Book Company has just returned from Catalina Island, Southern California, tall in a fishing expedition at that time. He caught a record haul of how Book Company has just returned from Catalina Island, Southern California, tall in a fishing expedition at that time.



Suppose You Are Standing on the Corner of Tenth and Broadway

You just walk two blocks north and two blocks west, and for those four blocks walk you will be given 25 per cent off from the market prices on FURNITURE AND CARPETS.

And besides that
RUGS—8 by 11 feet, worth up to \$15 **\$9.95**
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caught in one day and this, too, was the total weight of three yellow tail the angler landed near Pebble Beach. The above photo was taken showing the angler his spoils and boatman—From Los Angeles Herald

Friedman's Clearance Sale Continues

Friedman's BIG Clearance Sale continues to attract purchasers that wish High Grade Suits at LOW cost. Further reductions have been made and the assortment of Jacket and Coat Suits, Prince Chap, Merry Widows, Butterfly, Kimono and Cut-away Jacket styles in all the wanted shades and colors should bring out a larger crowd tomorrow.

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\$27.50	Merry Widow Suits	\$17.50
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Small Size Suits at HALF

A large variety of Misses' Suits; small sizes for small women.

\$20 Jacket Suits \$10 \$30 Fancy Suits \$15

\$45.00 "Paquin" Model Suits, Special \$26.00

Genuine Paquin Model, all wool French Panajah; tan, brown, champagne, Copenhagen blue, navy, gray or green. The above price includes alterations and no extra charge for CREDIT.

Lot 1 \$17.50 Eton Jacket Suits—models of the past season. \$6.95	Lot 3 Past Season Models, Silks, Taffetas, Rajahs, etc., all go at one price. \$10
Lot 2 \$25 Panama Mixture Suits. All wool, skirts worth price of suit \$9.95	Lot 4 Voiles, all colors, with Silk drop skirts—regular \$50 values. \$20

ALTERATIONS EXTRA ON LOTS 1, 2, 3 and 4—NO EXCHANGES

\$10.00 Walking Skirts... \$5.85	\$7.00 Silk Petticoats... \$3.95
\$15.00 Silk Eton Jackets \$3.95	\$3.00 Lawn Waists... \$1.45
\$7.50 Covert Coats... \$3.95	\$2.50 Sample Waists... \$1.00

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The Progress at Chicago.

The National Republican Convention has held one session, but as the nominations will not be made till the day after tomorrow, the party contests and controversies that the country is for the moment so interested in have made little progress toward settlement.

The uncertainty continues as to who will receive the nomination for Vice-President. Considerable interest is manifest as to how the effort of the administration to have an anti-injunction plank inserted in the platform will terminate. It is probable that the plank could be forced in despite all opposition, but it is manifestly not desirable to make the process a surgical operation.

The bugaboo of a stampede to Roosevelt is kept alive by vagrant "announcements" and dispatches, though it is so widely recognized that it could be nothing more than a deliberate attempt to embarrass the Taft candidacy, and could never be of avail in inducing the President to stand for a third term, that the conditions are not propitious for the success of such an effort.

The Vice-Presidential situation has changed very slightly. Dolliver has positively declined, and expressed his preference for Fairbanks. Dispatches have it that Senator Borah is engineering a boom for Curimons of Iowa on the approval of the President; but the latter has filed a disclaimer through a direct telegram, and the Iowa delegation is against the man from its own State. Fairbanks is apparently softening toward the idea of running again. Sherman's chances will not improve as long as Hughes holds the New York delegation to its pledge to vote for him for first place. Cortelyou appears to have dropped out of it. There is no showing that he had very far to drop. John Hays Hammond's boom has suffered greatly from not having been able to get started. The California delegation is reported to favor Fairbanks. Senator Borah did speak pleasantly to George Knight about the fine chance for the Californian to "get in," but there was nothing doing.

The Californians, with their golden banner, led the parade of Western representatives to the convention hall yesterday. The California headquarters are the center of much social and political life. The old-time refreshment feature is missing. It was decided to dispense with the supplies of wine and fruits that time out of mind have been the most attractive impedimenta of delegations from this State to national conventions. Old times, old ideas and old inclinations as to such things have apparently been greatly modified.

Among the less considerable news incidents is the praise bestowed upon Burrows' opening speech by one set of dispatches, and the long account of how it was a frost by another. The speech itself is evidence that the story that the man chosen to fire the first gun of the campaign would offensively omit proper reference to the President was not accurate. There is a very graceful tribute to Roosevelt; one that voices the faith and admiration of the people without being fulsome.

A part of the political news of the day is the dispatch that Congressman Longworth ordered his wife, daughter of the President, who occupied a conspicuous seat, to remove her Merry Widow hat, and was obeyed; wherefore convention news is elaborated to a further extent, with the inference that Longworth is the boss of his family.

Dealing With the Tramp Problem.

Los Angeles has recently completed arrangements for the handling of tramps and hoboes, the working of which will doubtless be carefully watched by other cities that have the problem. As that means pretty nearly every city in the United States, the effort is bound to gain wide attention. It is confidently expected to greatly minimize the tramp evil.

The city has erected, on the river bank or bottom, a large building of concrete, a real workhouse. It is a place of detention for tramps and hoboes and minor offenders of the vagrant class, who are put to work breaking rock and shoveling sand. Arrangements are made for both these lines of work to be carried on right at hand.

The building covers a large area, but is not of great height, and arrangements are made for the detention and feeding of offenders, and also for the exercise of their muscles in useful directions while they wait.

What is understood to be more effective in this establishment in deflecting tramp routes so they will avoid Los Angeles is the provision made for baths. The hobo might stand a limited amount of work and survive, but it is not certain at all that he would come off so well in the matter of bathing. At least he seems to feel so, for the new workhouse is all complete, ready for dedication, and there is not a genuine hobo within reach to inaugurate it. The brake beam tourists are understood to have kept tab on the progress of the building and as it approached completion they began to give Los Angeles the go-by.

An argument for the efficacy of the workhouse plan as devised by Los Angeles is that though the hobo is now giving that city a wide berth, one year ago he overran it, and filled the jails so that the overflow was sometimes turned adrift on parole. His begging and stealing about the city made life more unpleasant than the climate proscribes gave any hint of. Now, not only is the workhouse untenanted, but there are a hundred unoccupied cots in the jails.

The Los Angeles plan involves a workhouse in fact as well as in name. Those who are sent to it have to work, and there is no getting out of it. The rock they break is sold to contractors and the sand they shovel out of the bed of the river and sift is sold to builders, realizing enough to pay the keep of vagrants who are caught without visible means of support. The real efficiency of the plan is that its "terrors" scare the hoboes away from town. They can't beat this practical arrangement to compel them to do something for their keep and take a wash, and so pass by on the other side.

Up in Portland yesterday a farmer got into the stand which was reserved for patients from the insane asylum and was marched off to the booby house with the bunch. From what we have observed of some baseball fans we are somewhat in doubt as to whether the farmer made a mistake or not.

"Princess Alice" shows some of the Rooseveltian qualities. Her husband had to tell her six times before she finally discarded her M. W. lid.

If money talks as much as some folks claim it does, then John Hays Hammond will have a loud say in the Chicago convention.

Woman Suffrage in England.

The sister suffragists in England are evidently more determined than those of this country, where the agitation has been going on for a much longer time.

American women have proceeded on conventional lines in their fight for the ballot, and have acquiesced without making scenes when their campaigns have come to naught.

Not so the English suffragettes. They have carried the war into every phase of politics and life, and refuse to be downed. They were one of the causes of the downfall of the last ministry.

A little more than a year ago the campaign for woman suffrage was inaugurated on militant lines in London. Assembling by thousands the suffragettes attempted to force their way into the halls of Parliament, which since the very beginning have been closed to the female, except as she is content to sit in a screened gallery, where her coign of vantage is poor, and her implied inferiority exasperating to her awakened sensibility.

The resultant scenes were not edifying. The marching ranks of the crusaders were charged by mounted policemen; many were arrested and dragged to prison, and some were injured. A number of women of rank and social class appeared before the police magistrates the next morning, having refused to give bail and glorying in their martyrdom. Of the fifteen leading officials of the Women's Freedom League, ten saw the inside of jails for disturbing the peace. Yet none were daunted and all renewed the fray with unabated fury.

Three months ago Winston Churchill, as a result of the fall of the old ministry and the formation of a new one, found it necessary to stand for return to Parliament at a bye election at Manchester. He was popular, was going into a popular ministry, and it seemed at the outset that he would have no trouble at all; but he had done something, or omitted to do something, to the suffragettes, and they turned upon him with such effect that he was decisively defeated by a nobody. It is interesting that one of the campaign devices by which this end was attained was the beating of gongs and the making of other distracting noises by bands of suffragettes to drown out and bring to ridicule the speeches of Churchill and his supporters on the hustings.

The suffragettes have now so far gained their point that the Prime Minister has announced that his administration will not oppose a proposition to give the ballot to women.

The Allies at the convention are crying for "anybody to beat Taft," but this can hardly be construed to include a noted citizen of Nebraska.

And no one seems to have the courage to suggest the name of Cannon for second place on the ticket.

If the Athenians continue to play the sort of baseball they put on tap here yesterday, the sporting pages will continue to be the favorite literature of a whole lot of people.

A noted statesman once remarked that he'd rather be right than President. From the scramble of the favorite sons at the Chicago convention it does not appear that this pioneer has many disciples left.

William H. Taft may not be nominated by acclamation, but so long as he gets the "blue ribbon" the acclamation stuff will not worry him much.

With Chicago's two baseball clubs leading their respective leagues in the pennant races and the Republican national gathering holding forth in that city, Chicago seems to be hogging more notoriety than is usual for it.

No one can blame Governor Hughes for preferring to preside over the great Empire State instead of the United States Senate. The governor considers himself a live one yet.

WISE AND TRUE WORDS
IN NATIONAL PLATFORM

Republicanism Stands for High Ideals in American Government

Additional text of proposed Republican national platform received too late for publication yesterday is as follows:

"In the Philippines insurrection has been suppressed, law established and life and property made secure. Education and practical experience are being advancing the capacity of the people for government and the policies of McKinley and Roosevelt are leading the inhabitants step by step to an ever-increasing measure of home rule. Panama Route Justified.

"Time has justified the selection of the Panama route for the great Is-

thmian canal and events have shown the wisdom of security in the full authority over the zone through which it is to be built. Work is progressing with rapidity and energy far beyond expectations and already the realization of a country's hopes has come within the vision of the near future.

"We call attention of the American people to the fact that none of the great measures now advocated by the Republican party could be enacted and none of the steps forward here proposed could have been taken under a Democratic administration or under one in which party ability is divided.

"MRS. TEMPLE'S TELEGRAM" SCORES A BIG HIT

Plenty of Fun, Good Acting and Clever Play.

"Mrs. Temple's Telegram" was repeated at the Macdonough Theatre last night to a large and highly delighted audience. Without doubt this is one of the best comedies ever seen on the Macdonough stage.

The plot is based, like many other farcial plots, on a falsehood told by a husband to his wife to account for an all-night absence from home, but it is one of the cleverest of this piece of plots and the complications arise quite naturally from the attempt of Mrs. Jack Temple to verify the story told by her husband after she has absolutely refused to accept his first explanation, which, it happens, was the truth.

The engagement is for three more nights, and if you enjoy a good, wholesome laugh Mrs. Temple's Telegram will give it to you. The company is excellent and gives a splendid performance of the comedy.

A good, clean, wholesome medicine, pleasant and agreeable to take, no griping, no pain. Lash's Bitters.

For "Automobile Eye" Insurance Ask your druggist for Mazine Eye Remedy.

DRIVER ACCUSED OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

Tony Azavedo, a driver for the Willow Springs dairy, was arrested at an early hour this morning at Second street and Broadway by Policemen Crossman and Conroy, on a charge of cruelty to animals. Azavedo did not appear in Police Judge Samuels' court and his \$25 bail was forfeited. The arresting officers claimed that Azavedo was driving a lame horse.

PREFERS TO HAVE NO SUCH HUSBAND

Leona M. Charters instituted action for divorce on the ground of failure to provide against Roy E. Charters this morning. Mrs. Charters declares that a husband who will not give a wife a living is worse than no husband at all, so she says she would prefer the latter state.

MUST SERVE HIS TERM IN COUNTY JAIL

Judge Gordon refused to liberate Raymond Lopez from the county jail today on a writ of habeas corpus. Lopez was sentenced by Justice of the Peace W. H. Wright to serve 180 days for vagrancy. The prisoner, who has been in jail since June 1, says he committed no offense, but the Court held otherwise.

WM. BUCKLEY INNOCENT
OF THE MURDER OF RICE

New Evidence Convinces Detectives Man Was Unjustly Convicted

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—Police Captain Duke and Detective Thomas Ryan of the police department have again gone on record in favor of extending executive clemency to William Buckley, who is in the State prison at San Quentin awaiting execution of the sentence of death passed on him for the alleged murder of George W. Rice, both Duke and Ryan declaring under oath their most positive belief in Buckley's innocence.

Did Not Commit Murder.

"It would be an awful thing to hang this man for a murder that he did not commit," said Captain Duke today in speaking of the Buckley case. "I am sure that he did not fire the shot that caused Rice's death, nor did he do any of the clubbing or have any hand whatever in the crime. He was there, to be sure, but he was a spectator and took no part in the attack that caused Rice's death. Of these facts I am as firmly convinced as of anything in the world."

Both Detectives Convinced.

Detective Ryan who was with me when we worked up the case against Buckley fully agrees with me, and in the light of new testimony which we have discovered he joins me in petitioning for executive clemency for this unfortunate man who already has been in the State prison under the shadow of the gallows for nearly seven years. We believe that Buckley is entitled to relief from the hard fate that circumstances put upon him, and therefore we have determined to exert ourselves to the utmost in order to right the wrong that has been done to Buckley. We believed him guilty at the time of the trial and presented all the testimony we could get against him."

Have Learned the Truth.

"Since then we have learned the truth and therefore we are anxious to do what is right for the poor fellow. I do not say that Buckley was not present at the time of the assault on Rice, but I do say that he took no part in it and that there is no just foundation for the conviction and sentence to death, nor should Buckley be sent to State prison for life."

Plea for Leniency.

In view of all the circumstances, considering the time he has served and the false stigma under which he has been suffering so many years, it seems to me that this is a proper case in which the State authorities should be lenient and cut his sentence down to a limited number of years or grant him some kind of parole. I am not sure about the legal manner of getting at this result, but am certain that something ought to be done for Buckley as soon as possible. We are in possession of some new facts concerning the case that will be made public at the proper time, but which we are not at liberty to reveal just now."

Verdict Not Justified.

Judge Robert Fernal, who, with Attorney Frank Murphy, conducted the defense of Buckley when asked about the matter today, said: "No candid man can read the testimony in the Buckley case and reach the conclusion that he was guilty of murder and ought to be hanged. The record does not bear out the verdict of guilty. It is true that a little girl swore that she identified Buckley as the man who did the shooting. She said this after several conflicting statements, and to show how unreliable her mind and memory were the defense asked her a number of questions, the answers to which showed her to be entirely unreliable."

Young Girl's Bad Memory.

"For instance, she testified that she had been at school every day that week, and we brought the school records of the Board of Education and of the school to prove that there had been no school ten days before the killing of Rice."

"It is a case worthy of attention of all who believe in fair play and the doing of justice."

"Buckley is a poor young fellow, without money or friends, and his case is one that appeals to me. The detectives who are exerting themselves in his behalf were most zealous in seeking to obtain his conviction at the time of the trial, and now they are doing their duty as men in an effort to clear him of the unjust accusation that was made against him."

Caused by Strike Excitement.

"Under ordinary circumstances it would have been impossible to secure a conviction on the testimony that was presented against Buckley, but just then there was a great deal of excitement in the community because of a strike that was going on."

"Rice was a non-union man, and the trouble which resulted in his death was supposed to have grown out of a dispute between union and non-union men."

Buckley happened to be caught while running away from the scene of the tragedy and was convicted.

Not a Union Man.

"As a matter of fact, Buckley was not a union man, and never had anything to do with labor troubles, one way or another. We proved by the policemen on the block in which Buckley lived that Buckley, who was not much more than 19 years old, never carried a pistol, that he was considered harmless, and that, as a matter of fact, he never had a row, and his general reputation was that he would not fight anybody."

Never Quarrelsome.

"He is a frail, thin lad, not given to quarreling, and his worst fault was that he would get drunk, and when in that condition was in the habit of getting into the biggest rows he could find to see what was going on. That was how he happened to be in the crowd when Rice was killed."

Had No Pistol.

"The testimony showed that Buckley, true to his reputation, ran away when the shot was fired, and he was kept in view all the time until he ran into the arms of a policeman and was arrested. If he had thrown away a pistol or anything else it would have been seen, but all the witnesses swore that he did not do anything. When arrested he had no weapon of any kind on him."

Mistaken Identity.

"It was clearly a case of mistaken identity on the part of the girl witness, and that, coupled with the excited condition of the public mind, led to the conviction of an innocent man. After the shooting Buckley was confronted with Rice and Rice could not at all identify him as the man who did it."

Sworn Statements Made.

"As the public already knows, the officers who worked up the case against Buckley are now convinced that he was wrongfully convicted, and have signed affidavits to that effect. From my intimate and complete knowledge of the case I say that there is not a shadow of doubt of Buckley's innocence of the charge that was made against him."

ROCK TO GO BY RAIL
TO BUILD NEW RIP-RAFF
Plan of City Engineer Saves \$15,000

Acting upon the instruction of the council, the Board of Public Works this morning notified the Oakland Traction Company that it was ready to enter into a contract with it for the purpose of transporting rock from Piedmont quarries to the estuary south of the Twelfth street dam, the rock to be used in supplying on the bank the present channel as a part of the improvements contemplated in the system of parks in the vicinity of Lake Merritt.

Step Toward Beautification.

This is one of the most important advances which have thus far been made in the work of beautifying that part of the city. The rip-rapping is intended to preserve the banks of the channel in order that a clean way may be afforded for the ebbing and the flowing of the tides which have so much to do in connection with Lake Merritt.

The rip rap will be built on the west side of the channel only, for the reason that the land on the east side is owned by private individuals, although the city for some time, has been endeavoring to purchase it. If the purchase could be made it was the intention of City Engineer Turner to dump some of the rock in the middle of the stream and then cut into the solid wall of earth. But for the reason specified that plan at this time is not to be considered.

Must Lay Tracks.

The matter referred to with the Oakland Consolidated is for the dumping of the bank mentioned such rock as may be required to rip-rap that side, in order to get the rock the company may lay a track from Broadway along the estuary to the quarry. This represents a distance of several hundred feet. The cars will then be loaded there and then be run to Broadway to Twelfth street and thence to the Twelfth street dam. When the channel is reached another track must be built on the west side, skirting the water down as far as Eighth street, a distance of about 1200 feet.

The best protection against the minor annoyances of travel, chief among which are wind, dust and extremely hard water, is a half cake of Ivory soap in your toilet case.

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"At the trial Buckley gave the name of a man who, he said, did the shooting. That man was generally known as 'China' Copeland, and Copeland disappeared immediately after the killing of Rice and has not been seen since in this State."

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Thousands of Yards of Rocks. It has been estimated by the city engineer that 8000 cubic yards of rock will be required to complete the job, and that it will be shipped within three months unless something not now anticipated happens. The city engineer has also estimated that this rock will make 800 carloads.

Saving \$15,000.

Some time ago bids were received from owners for the carting of this rock from the quarry to the place where it is to be incorporated in the rip-rap, and it was ascertained that the work of transportation would cost \$80,000.

Under the proposed arrangement with the Oakland Traction Consolidated for transportation and the laying of the tracks referred to will be charged to the city at cost. This means, according to the figure of the city engineer, that it will require an outlay of only \$15,000 which is a saving to the city of \$65,000, which otherwise would have been expended in the carting of the material.

CLOSE ARGUMENTS IN RAILROAD COAL CASES

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.—Attorney General Bonaparte, for the government, and John G. Johnson of Philadelphia representing the various railroads involved closed their arguments in their suit for the government to restrain the railroads from transporting coal from mines in which they are financially interested.

When court opened today Robert W. Forest of New York resumed his argument begun yesterday in defense of the railroad companies. He spoke of the practical effects of the law if unconstitutional.

S.S.S. DRIVES OUT RHEUMATISM

A good liniment or plaster, or some good home remedy will usually give temporary relief from the pain of Rheumatism, but the disease is more than skin deep and cannot be rubbed away, nor can it be drawn out with plaster. Such treatment neither prevents nor cures; the excess of acid which produces Rheumatism, is still in the blood and the disease can never be cured while the circulation remains saturated with this irritating, pain-producing uric acid poison. The trouble will shift from place to place, setting on the nerves and causing pain and inflammation at every exposure or after an attack of indigestion or other irregularity. When neglected or improperly treated, Rheumatism becomes chronic and does not depend upon limited conditions to bring on an attack, but remains a constant, painful trouble. S. S. S. drives out Rheumatism by neutralizing and expelling the excess acid from the blood. It constantly deacidifies the circulation and instead of an acid-laden stream, the entire system is nourished and made healthy by rich, life-giving blood. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice desired will be sent free to all who write.

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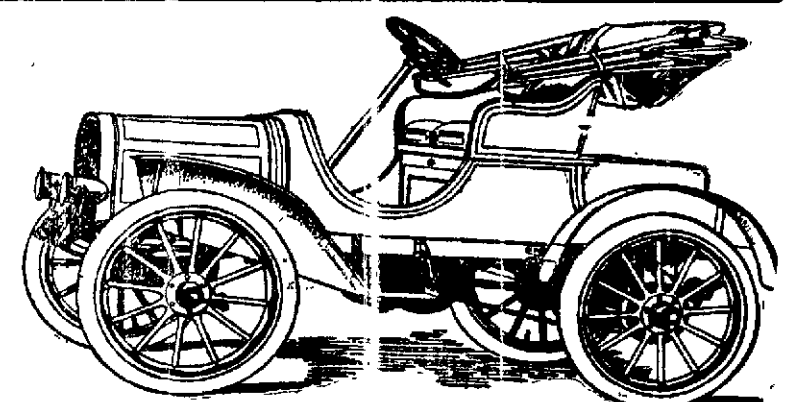
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SOCIETY SMART SET

Miss Amy McKee, the beautiful daughter of Mrs. Sam DeL. McKee, became the bride of a most wedding today of Misses E. A. and general of France to this city. The ceremony was held in the morning and appointments at the McKee home on Vernon heights but only relatives and a few close friends attended the impressive service.

The Rev. Thomas McSwenney of St. Francis de Sales Church was the officiating clergyman.

The drawing-room where the ceremony was performed was decorated in lavender sweet peas with overflowing baskets of the fragrant blossoms grouped in the floral arbor. The color scheme in all the decoration carried a dominant tone of lavender deepened with purple in the hall but the dining room was adorned with yellow blossoms.

The bride was given into the keeping of the groom by her brother, Sir Bell McKee.

The bride's gown was of white satin embellished with rare Valenciennes lace and the bride's veil of filmy tulle was caught with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley.

The only attendant for the bride was Miss Florence Henshaw who wore a gown of white chiffon over yellow silk and carried an armful of lavender lilies.

Two little flower girls, Miss Sally Long and Lila Adams and three little ribbon bearers, Percy Morgan, Jack Morgan and Norman McKee formed part of the bridal procession. Mr. Kosakewitch, the Russian consul acted as best man.

After a brief honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Lanel will make their home in New York.

ALLEN-GARDINER

The marriage of Miss June Thornton Allen and William Munson Gardiner of this city will take place this evening at the home of the bride's father, Rev. Lyman Whitney Allen in Newark, N. J. The clergyman is pastor of the Park Presbyterian Church of Newark and will officiate at his daughter's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner will return to make their home in this city.

BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Emma Mahoney was hostess yesterday at the final meeting for this season of the Tuesday Bridge Club and a delightful hour was spent over the cards.

Among the players during the winter series were Mrs. William Hamilton Morrison, Mrs. George Downey, Mrs. Alexander Marx, Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, Mrs. George Hammer, Mrs. Walter Hughes, Mrs. Miss Lillian Downey, Miss Mena Trellin and Miss Ernest Stent.

FIVE-SHORTLEIDGE

Miss Battle five became the bride of Captain Edmund Douglas Shortleidge at one of the brilliant weddings of the year celebrated at noon today in St. Paul's Church, San Francisco. The ceremony was attended by full military formality and was elaborate in detail.

The bride who is an attractive girl with blonde coloring wore a gown of white chiffon silk embroidered and trimmed with lace.

The maid of honor, Miss Janet Deal, wore a gown of pink silk embroidered in the same color and carried pink roses.

The quartet of bridesmaids who were Miss Dorothy Wood, Miss Frances Stewart, Miss Helen Vail, Miss Alice and Miss Mary. They wore pink silk and carried pink roses. The bridesmaids carried pink roses.

Dr. Rupert Blu acted as best man. The ushers were Captain J. F. Jenneman, Captain W. A. Wickham, Captain F. G. Bingham and Lieutenant Oscar Russell.

Several hundred friends attended the church ceremony but only a few close friends were bidden to the formal reception at the home of the bride.

RECEPTION FOR BRIDE

Mrs. Prentiss Gray formerly Miss Laura Sherman is the complement of guest at a reception given this afternoon by Mrs. George D. Gray. Miss Mabel Thayer Gray and Mrs. Fredrick Gray, sister at the Gray home in Tenth street.

The attractive young bride has just returned after a honeymoon trip in the East and several hundred friends greeted her today in the city which is to be her permanent home.

The wedding of Prentiss Gray and Miss Sherman was a notable event of last month in Washington, D. C. where the family of the bride is prominent.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray are now established in the house formerly occupied by the Melville Decker Jr. in Mission avenue.

The reception this afternoon is the first in a series of affairs planned for the bride.

The three hostesses were assisted today by Mrs. Clarence Gray, Mrs. George Hammer, Mrs. William Cobb, Mrs. Newton Koser, Mrs. William Hamilton Morrison, Miss Eva Powell, Miss Helen Powell, Miss Mary Will-

MISS AMY M'KEE WAS BRIDE THIS NOON IN PRETTY CEREMONY



MRS. ETIENNE LANEL.

son, Miss Harriet Knight and Miss Marion Everett.

SOCIETY NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Van D. Anderson have returned from their honeymoon trip to Lake Tahoe and are established in their pretty home in San Francisco.

Miss Charlotte Powie is the guest of the W. A. C. Hines who are spending the summer in Sunset Glen.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Arthur Philip Smith will return in a few days from their honeymoon trip. They will be in town. Mrs. Smith will go to the home of her parents, Admiral and Mrs. Kutz for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis McDermott will leave the latter part of this month for the East where they will visit actively.

Miss Alice Smythe the niece of Edward Smith was the companion of a party given by Mrs. Howard Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Palmer will entertain tomorrow evening at a dinner for Colonel and Mrs. Vernon Hill. Shearer, the Langley who have shortly for their home in Georgia.

FETE AT IDORA PARK

The first fete to be given this year by the women will be conducted at the West Oakland Farm will take place in Idora Park, June 29. All day and evening the festive will last and it is hoped that a large sum will be realized for the work to which the proceeds of the affair will be devoted. Idora Park will be brilliantly decorated for the occasion. Handsome booths will be built and products adorned in gay colors. These will be all over the broad lawns and in many picturesque corners of the big amusement ground. They will be presided over by Oakland's most popular matrons and the society girls.

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MARRIAGES OF THE MONTH ARE CELEBRATED AT HOME AND CHURCH

FOURTH OF JULY COMMITTEE MEETS

Plenty of Money Will Be Had This Year for Big Celebration.

The Fourth of July Committee and its various sub-committees met last evening in the Merchants' Exchange rooms and discussed preliminary matters for the celebration on the nation's birthday. Aside from a general outline of the day's events, no definite program can be announced at this time. It is planned to decorate the main streets with flags suspended from the cross wire supporting the Oakland Traction Company's trolley wires.

Literary exercises will be held early in the afternoon, but no program is ready.

Races on Lake

Boat races and other aquatic sports will be held on Lake Merritt in the afternoon.

There will be no doubt some racing at the Emeryville track for President Williams of the California Jockey Club has offered the track to the committee for a change for the day. In the evening fireworks will be displayed on the lake. The extent of this feature will depend upon the amount of money raised by subscription.

No Trouble About Funds.

Secretary Wilbur Walker stated last night that there would be no difficulty in raising funds this year. All the leading merchants of Oakland have promised to swell the fund to a large amount and make this Fourth of July day for everybody. He said he was unable to submit figures last night, but at the next meeting will notify the sub-committees as to how much money each will have for their portion of the day's program.

REVOLUTIONISTS SENT TO PRISON IN RUSSIA

NOVOROSSYSK, Russia, June 17.—The trial of the new who in December, 1906, during the revolutionary movement, came to an end today. The president of the republic was sentenced by the court martial to 10 years at hard labor; two men were given ten years each at hard labor and sixty-six were sentenced to short terms in prison. Forty-one of the prisoners were acquitted.

Presilio at Monterey acted as best

The house decorations were an effective combination of green and pink while the brides table was a pretty study in white.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones will pass their honeymoon in the southern part of the State and later will leave for Tonopah where they will establish their permanent home.

At the University of California he was prominent in athletics and in the affairs of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity.

His bride is a member of the Kappa Alpha Theta fraternity, and a popular member of the exclusive set about the bay. She is a sister of Mrs. Howard Huntington and Mrs. Frederick Bixby of Los Angeles.

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CLUB WANTS TALK ON CONSOLIDATION

Berkeley East Side Improvement Club Ready to Hear Oaklanders.

Secretary Wilbur Walker of the Merchants' Exchange will address the meeting of the Berkeley East Side Improvement Club on Oakland city and county's Friday evening at the Baptist Church, Hillside avenue and Parker street, Berkeley.

A letter was received last evening by the Merchants' Exchange, asking that a speaker be sent to their meeting to enlighten members of the club on some of the benefits of one city and county government.

Official Recognition Secretary Walker announced last night that the consolidation movement has received official recognition from the various legislative bodies about the eastern shore of San Francisco bay and he considers the time is not far off when the consolidation plan will be taken up and submitted to the voters.

He said that the Alameda county assemblymen and state senators would be asked to support such an act in the legislature.

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We nesday evening, June 17, '08.

—You haven't made any engagements for tomorrow night, have you?

—You know we have invited you to attend a Broadmoor meeting at the offices of the Frank K. Mott Co., 106 Broadway at 8 15 o'clock tomorrow night.

—"That" meeting idea great, said an enthusiastic Broadmoor purchaser this morning. "I have been trying to interest my brother in buying a half-acre in Broadmoor and every Sunday something has happened to keep us from going out to the tract—I'm going to bring him to this meeting, sure."

—"Another gentleman says 'I'm glad you are going to have a meeting, for I've a lot of questions to ask—I hesitated to be too inquisitive of your salesmen, but would like to attend a meeting such as you propose'."

—Of course this meeting tomorrow night will be informal and anyone who wishes will be allowed to speak up—We want questions.

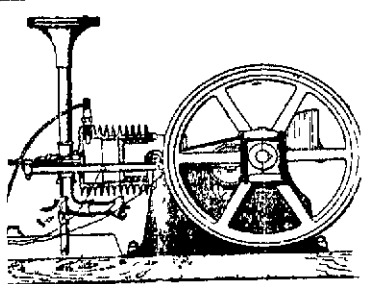
—"Now, folks, just stop and think a minute—if Broadmoor wasn't all that we've said it is, if it wasn't a clean cut, open and above-board proposition, we wouldn't encourage meetings like this—If we had anything to hold back, if there was one weak link in the whole chain, we wouldn't be asking the people to ask us questions."

—"And another thing!—If Broadmoor wasn't an unusual tract, if it didn't appeal in an unusual way to the public, do you think, at this time, we would have made the wonderful total in sales we have made?"

—"Tomorrow night will be the first time we ever heard of a meeting of this kind ever being held."

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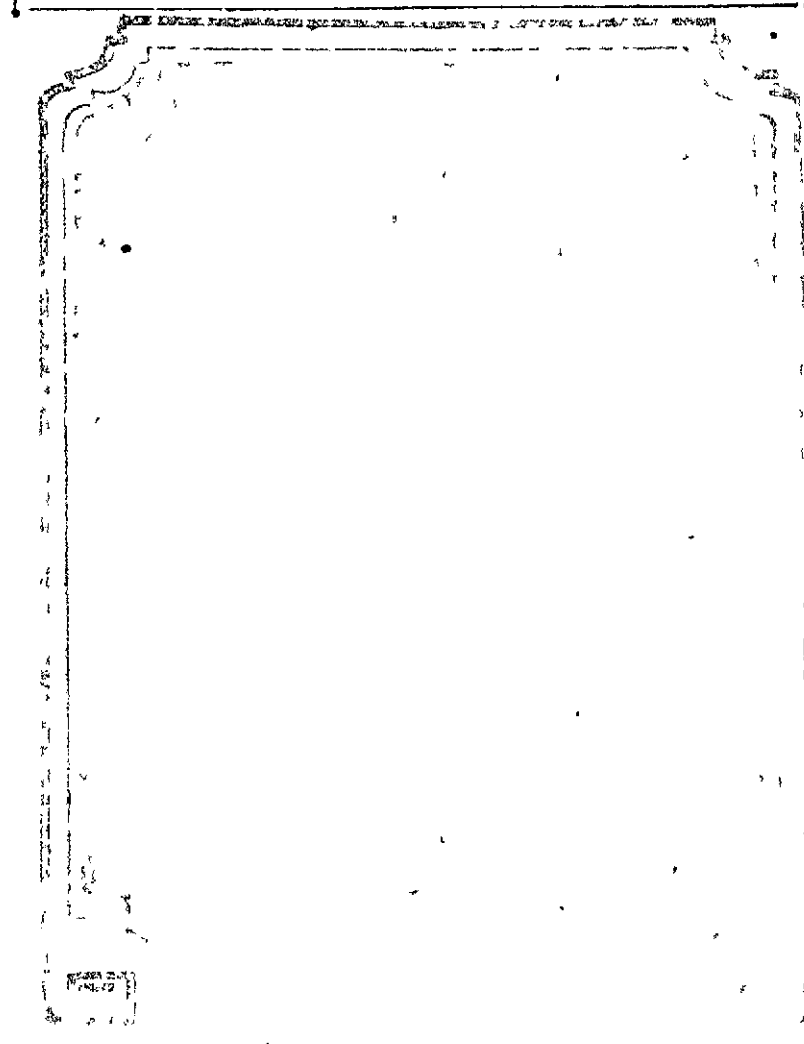
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HEART Tribune's Page for Women HOME

Mrs. Grover Cleveland



FORMER MISTRESS OF WHITE HOUSE REMAINS AS CHARMING AS OF YORE

Mrs. Grover Cleveland, the former mistress of the White House, lives a quiet life with her husband and children at Princeton, New Jersey, but recently she stepped into public view through her appointment to the governing board of one of New Jersey's public institutions. Mrs. Cleveland retains the personal charm that made her so great a favorite in the years when her husband was President of the United States.

Not With Guns, but With Dustpans, Fire Shovels, Coal Hods, Brooms, Unsavory Mops and Fists, Chambermaids Rout Crowbar Brigade, Which Started to Demolish Ancient Hostelry

NEW YORK—"Good morning! We have come to bar down your hotel!" "Jerry" Dris, all manager of the Mount Morris Hotel at Third Avenue and one Hundred and Thirtieth Street, had just finished selecting the outfit for the dining-room handmaid yesterday morning when the steady tramp of foot accompanied by the clanking of hardware heralded the approach of a marching host. An army of able-bodied citizens, weighted down with picks, shovels, hatchets and crowbars, filed through the swinging doors.

At the head of the invading host was Edward A. Maher, general manager of the Third Avenue and the Union Railroad lines. He is of powerful build but he needed help to elevate a formidable looking bundle of legal documents which he spread on the desk before Jerry's popping poppers. Jerry laughed merrily. He thought the party was the wind-up of some longshot's week-end when Maher began unravelling "Whereas" "Know ye all men and 'Tis to those whom it does concern."

"I don't got the first part of that spiel," said Jerry. "Do you want board or boore?"

This hotel is the property of the Third Avenue Railroad Company," said Maher. "I've here an order from Judge Lacombe of the United States Court appointing me and my associates receivers of the company and all its property. We're here to take possession and you'll have to get out."

Order or no order, you've got no right to come here in the middle of the night and tell down a building where sixty people are asleep," said Jerry. He leaped over the desk and into the thick of the whole lot's artillery. "And the first man that does any tearing down will have to suit on Jerry Driscoll."

Alvin Reinman, proprietor of the hotel, asleep on the floor above, heard the racket but at first paid no attention to it as the early morning trade in Harlem hotels is always demonstrative. Finally he plunged into his pajamas and threatened down to the office.

Maher and Reinman entered into a heated discussion. While they were talking a score of the husky wreckers had made their way to the upper floors.

"Hip smash!" crack! To the sound of falling glass, rending door-jambes and prying windows was added the yell of the sixty guests aroused from slumber by the unseemly racket and loudly demanding to know what the matter was. Some were to don a derby or a pair of trousers but the majority fled clad in attire that was considered conventional in Harlem.

It was a clock an hour when a large part of Harlem is on the way to work and in ten minutes a thousand spectators were amassed in front of the hotel offering all sorts of consolation to the badly scared tenants.

Reinman and Jerry and several of the steady patrons of the place were having

PRETTY HELLO GIRL DESERTED AT ALTAR

NEW YORK—Miss Illar O'Brien, pretty seventeen and sentimental whose cheery voice from the telephone exchange at Stapleton Station Island has answered many a 'hello' is convinced that men are faithless creatures. She expected to be a bride but the prospective bridegroom changed his mind and

Miss O'Brien lived happily with her father, Patrick O'Brien at 20 Richmond road until six months ago when she met a dapper chap of 26 years at a bill who said he was Thomas Lowery Jr., a secret service agent in the employ of the government. Miss O'Brien received the attentions of her new acquaintance against the wish of her family. When she finally showed them an engagement ring though and a pair of diamond earrings and told them of a beautiful home on Long Island which she had been told by her sweetheart was being fitted up for her they consented to the marriage and it was arranged to take place Wednesday evening.

Lowery asked a priest to perform the ceremony and took a man whom he introduced as Mr. Smith to the O'Brien home saying he was to be best man. He even had at home cards printed.

The happy bride-to-be had arranged for the wedding supper and was decorating the parlor with flowers when a messenger left a note from the prospective husband. He said he was sorry he had put her family to the expense of preparing for the wedding but he had terminated to confess that he was a dishonest son of a miller and was going away on a long trip. His went.

O'Brien said the chances were that his daughter would get over the shock—but not for a week or so.

STOPPED RUNAWAY AND WON A BRIDE

NEW YORK—Isidore M. Levy, a lawyer of 320 Broadway, who is president of the public school board in the third district, and connected with several charitable organizations, had the good fortune while horseback riding in the Central Park some months ago to save the life of Miss Sarah Lawrence, a young woman is the daughter of Bernard Lichtenstein, a wholesaler in tobacco of this city and the founder and

director of the Columbia Club. Miss Lichtenstein, who was also out for a ride, had lost control of her horse and Levy dashed up and caught the runaway. After returning to this city, Levy introduced the young woman to his wife, and the engagement has been announced formally.

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Plethoric Wallets, From Which Queens and Princesses Secure Their Pin Money Before Going Out to Annoy Shop Girls in Quest of Novelties for Their Complexion

The German Emperor as King of Prussia wants to have his salary raised. At present he receives from the state \$250,000 as German Emperor and \$185,770 as King of Prussia. The last increase which amounted to \$7,000 was made in 1883, in the second year of his reign. In spite of this however he is a truly getting \$1,250,000 less than the old Kings of Prussia annually received. An income exceeding \$4,000,000 is not a desirable sum even for Kaiser William but those who know say it is not

LEAVES BRIDE-TO-BE TO ENLIST IN NAVY

NEW YORK June 17.—The wedding of Miss Rosa Hogan, 19 years old, of 4 Cray street, to Harry Hogan, 23 years of age, of 45 Cray street, for which St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church on Park Avenue was chosen Tuesday evening, was not occurred by reason of the bridegroom's refusal to appear and sent no explanation. Miss Hogan did not leave her house, she said.

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AMERICAN WOMAN MADE MARCHIONESS BY POPE

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It was a great surprise to learn that I was made a Marchioness, said Mrs. McLaughlin. Of course I am greatly pleased, although I do not know what I have done to deserve such a distinction. I am only a poor old woman.

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LONDON—his story of the rise of the Tetrazzini boom on two continents is current among the opera singers. Covent Garden. Madam Tetrazzini is a name that is known to all who are interested in the world of opera.

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WOMEN MUST BE SANS PEUR AND FIGURES SANS REPROCHE TO WEAR DIRECTOIRE

LONDON—The truth about the Directoire is that there is not any not even in Paris. It hardly exists except in sensational paragraphs about pink tight and curling up draperies intended to catch the eye of the morning. In the photographs so zealously snapped at the last race meeting it cannot be taken seriously. No Englishman need therefore think that his British lady will be delightfully shocked at the very moment of his arrival at the Case du Nord. No modern Mercutio in clothes leaving little to his imagination will be seen, though he may track her diligently from the Bois to the races from the races to the Bois. The Directoire is not as Directoire as it is painted in the back of one's head. It is a thing of the past. It is a thing of the past. It is a thing of the past.

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COLLEGE BOY ELOPES WITH CHORUS GIRL

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 17.—Redmond Peter Conley, a Brown University student, has returned from Boston and announced that he has married Sue C. Wilhelm, a chorus girl of "The Rogers Brothers in Panama" company.

Conley is a special student class of 1908 at Brown. He was on the football squad early last season and played on the freshman and sophomore teams.

Early last January he met Miss Wilhelm and followed her to Boston. He said that his parents had not been informed of the marriage, but he thought there would be no serious objection.

Anyways, that didn't bother him much. Miss Wilhelm's parents live in Akron, Ohio. She is a very pretty girl and coney is a very nice fellow. He is a very nice fellow. He is a very nice fellow.

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NEW YORK, June 17.—By a series of transactions extending over several months and conducted with the utmost secrecy, a group of conspicuous real estate holdings in the new uptown shopping district has been gathered together under a single ownership, with a view to be used as a site for a big retail store.

The site comprises nineteen lots, including the whole block of the front on the east side of Fifth avenue, between Twenty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets. It measures 197.6 feet on the avenue, extending back 245 feet on Thirty-seventh street and 226 feet on Thirty-eighth street. The valuation put upon it is about \$7,000,000.

The location, on the crest of Murray Hill, is one of the choicest on the avenue. The site is mostly occupied by old private houses, all of them vacant with the exception of two on Fifth avenue in use as stores.

A space of about five lots on the Thirty-seventh street side is taken up with an old-time garden shaded by fine trees and screened from the public by a high brick wall.

Adjoining this \$500,000 garden on the east is the stable, which it was originally designed to hide out of view from the mansion on the Fifth-avenue corner.

W. H. GOVAN APPOINTED
STATE STATISTICIAN

SACRAMENTO, June 17.—Secretary of State Curry has appointed W. H. Govan State Statistician to succeed W. R. Stone, resigned. Govan was formerly keeper of archives. He is succeeded in the latter position by F. J. Pondorag.

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The manual training and commercial high school will hold its graduating exercises Friday night in the common school assembly hall, Eleventh and Jefferson streets.

The program for the evening is as follows:

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riet Duncan.

TOWN OF ALVARADO
HAS PROSPEROUS ERA

According to Farley B. Granger the

old town of Alvarado and its surrounding

territory bids fair to have a very pros-

perous season this year. Said Farley to-

day: "The sugar beet area promises to

have a fine crop, as the beets are grow-

ing nicely and the beet sugar mill will

undoubtedly make a good run. The

late late crops, including hay,

grain and vegetables in the vicinity of

Alvarado have improved materially as

the weather conditions have been favor-

able. Yes, our section of Alvarado coun-

ty is looking good."

\$210,000 SUMMER
HOTEL IS BURNED

PETOSKEY, Mich., June 17.—Fire of

unknown origin last night destroy-

ed the Imperial Hotel, valued at \$210,-

000. The Imperial was a summer hotel

and had not been opened for the sea-

son. The only occupants were the

caretakers.

LEAVES S. P. AFTER
20 YEARS' SERVICE

SAN JOSE, June 17.—Thomas A. Pas-

sett, traveling freight and passenger

ELINOR GLYN HITS BACK AT WRITERS

Says Nevada Newspaper Report-
ers Are Disposed to Publish
"Nasty" Occurrences.

RENO, Nov. 17.—Declaring that the newspapermen of the West have no regard for the feelings of a woman and that they send out stories that are unfit to print, Elinor Glyn, whose recent visit to the town of Reno, Nev., has gained her considerable notoriety, criticizes the journalists of Nevada in a letter to a Reno interviewer. She says their tendencies are to use the "nasty" occurrences in their reports.

So shocked was Mrs. Glyn at the tendencies of newspapermen of Nevada that she used six pages to express herself. Admitting that what was said was true, Mrs. Glyn only complained of the unethical policy of the writers.

"All novelists and those who shape the world's news should stand together," Mrs. Glyn says. "There was nothing in my trip to Nevada which merited the publicity it received. True, Ray Baker and some of my friends took me through the dance halls and gambling houses, but what we saw did not degrade us. The scene was the same as in many large cities, though more animated. And the wagers we laid were nothing. Women do that sort of thing at Monte Carlo."

LUKE WRIGHT TO GO IN CABINET

Definitely Stated That He Is to
Succeed Taft as Secretary
of War.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Following his nomination at Chicago, Secretary Taft will immediately announce his resignation from President Roosevelt's Cabinet. It is now definitely stated that Luke Wright of Tennessee will be his successor as Secretary of War.

Mr. Taft will first go to his home in Cincinnati but he will not take a rest. He is to be his own principal order during the campaign, which will be more nearly of the whirlwind order than any the country has known for a good many years.

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KEY ROUTE TO TAP NORTH SECTION OF BERKELEY

Company Purchases Land to
Widen Narrow Street to
Boulevard

BERKELEY, June 17.—The Key Route company made application last night to the town trustees for a new franchise along Sacramento street from the Oakland line to the north town line. The company, some weeks ago made this request but it drew it after a few days because of opposition manifested in certain quarters to the terms and provisions. Since that time representatives of the Smith-Hayes-Horton interests have quietly acquired by purchase of gift a strip of land along the east side of the street throughout the entire distance covered by the proposed franchise which will be devoted to the town under certain conditions.

MANTELL PLAYS OFEN AT 8 AND 2 O'CLOCK SHARP

Long List of Shakespearean
Dramas to Be Given.

The Macdonough, which will have an attraction of unusual interest beginning next Saturday night, when Mr. Mantell opens his engagement under the direction of William A. Brady in an impressive repertoire of Shakespearean plays, the like of which is seldom seen now. The repertoire for the week is as follows: Saturday night, King Richard III; Sunday night, Macbeth; Monday night, King Lear; Tuesday night, Hamlet; Wednesday night, Othello; Thursday night, Richard III; Friday night, King Lear; Saturday matinee, The Merchant of Venice. The selection for the matinee has been made with special regard to teachers and students of the play. The Merchant of Venice has been found to be in most general use as a study in the local colleges and schools. The night performance will begin at 8 o'clock and the matinee at 2 o'clock sharp.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS CATCH MEN ACCUSED OF RIOTING

Jumped Bail but Are Retaken in Texas

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE)
SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—The four men who are accused of being responsible for a riot during the street car strike at Twenty-fourth and Utah streets on September 11, and who jumped their bail of \$2000 on November 10 have been located by the detective department of the United Railroads and three of them have already been arrested in El Paso. The fourth is in Chicago and will probably be taken into custody today.

The four men are Morris Rensburg, Harry Green, John Carter and Harry Chase and when the local office of the

company received word of their apprehension yesterday General Superintendent Hibbs and Attorney Ashe called at once upon Captain Kelly, the chief of the local detective department. It is said that the officials that they should have the men arrested by the same means that they had them located.

They therefore decided to take the matter to Chief of Police Egan and the latter instructed Sergeant Eli Henry to notify the El Paso authorities and he himself detailed Detective Tom Burke to make the trip to the southern city and bring them back.

ACTOR POLLARD'S WIFE ON TRIAL

Woman Accused of Shooting at
Husband While in Jealous Fit.

(SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE)
SAN FRANCISCO, June 17.—Miss Vera Pollard, the wife of Harry Pollard, formerly matinee idol of the Mission Theater was brought to trial in Judge Lusk's court this morning on a charge of assault to murder preferred against her by Detective Gallagher and Motke of the Mission station.

Mrs. Pollard is alleged to have shot her husband in a fit of jealous anger a little over a month ago in the apartments of the couple in the Mission district and subsequently in the police court the actor testified that he had fired the shot himself while using the weapon in rehearsal. It is expected that the case, which is being heard before a jury, will be concluded today.

WILL ABATE STENCH OR CLOSE THE WORKS

Complaint Against Fertilizer
Stockyards.

Peterson Brothers, who conduct reduction work at the Emeryville stockyards have promised District Attorney Brown that they will eliminate the stench from their fertilizer factory or close it down according to his orders.

Over 1000 names were placed on a

YIDDISH COMPANY WILL SING HERE

Opera Troupe to Appear at Mac-
donough for Three Per-
formances.

The Frank Brothers Yiddish Opera Company direct from New York will inaugurate a brief season here. His company with a cast of twenty-two principals has a record of one year at the Windsor Theater, now the Berta Klitch Theater, New York City, two seasons in Philadelphia, sixteen months in Baltimore, eighteen weeks in Cincinnati and a long run in St. Louis. It has been in existence twelve years and numbers among its members the best singers and players on the Yiddish stage. The leading woman of the company, Mrs. Fannie Reichenbach, has been called the Yiddish Schumann. Her voice is a specialty of the Jewish stage and is known as one of the best tragedians. The other members of the company are all artists in their respective lines. This company will appear at the Macdonough Theater for three performances commencing Saturday night June 27. Matinee Sunday.

petition asking that the stockyards be closed because of the obnoxious odors coming from it. Upon an investigation of the case the District Attorney discovered that the stockyards, slaughterhouses and packing houses were operated in a sanitary manner and that the reduction works made the trouble

SURPRISE PARENTS BY ANNOUNCING WEDDING

Friends Told of Marriage Which
Took Place Monday in
San Francisco.

BERKELEY, June 17.—Miss Tom Richards of 1417 Ashby avenue and Earl H. Thorneburrow of 2218 Fulton street surprised their friends in South Berkeley this morning by announcing that they

had been quietly married last Monday in San Francisco by a justice of the peace. It is about six months since the young people let a few into the secret of their engagement.

The following non-residents registered at the Chamber of Commerce from yesterday to noon today: Charles J. Hahn, Jacksonville, Fla.; William L. Roberts, Victoria, B. C.; D. J. O'Haire, London, Eng.; Rev. J. Gordon McPherson, San Jose, J. N. Lansing, Berkeley, A. Seagunt, Humboldt county, Cal.; M. M. Bartlett, San Francisco; H. H. Collier, San Ramon, V. A. Walter, Denver, I. Richmond, Denver, G. R. George, Burke, R. S. Flyer, Portland, E. J. Gunn, Richmond, H. C. Mitchell, Boston, W. B. Roberts, Reno.

Both the young folks are popular in South Berkeley and North Oakland and a reception is being planned in their behalf. They will make their home at Ashby avenue near Grove.

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Grand Jury Looks Over County Books

County Expert John I. Salin was before the grand jury for two hours this morning assisting that body in going over the accounts of the various county offices. The accounts being checked up date back to July 1 last year.

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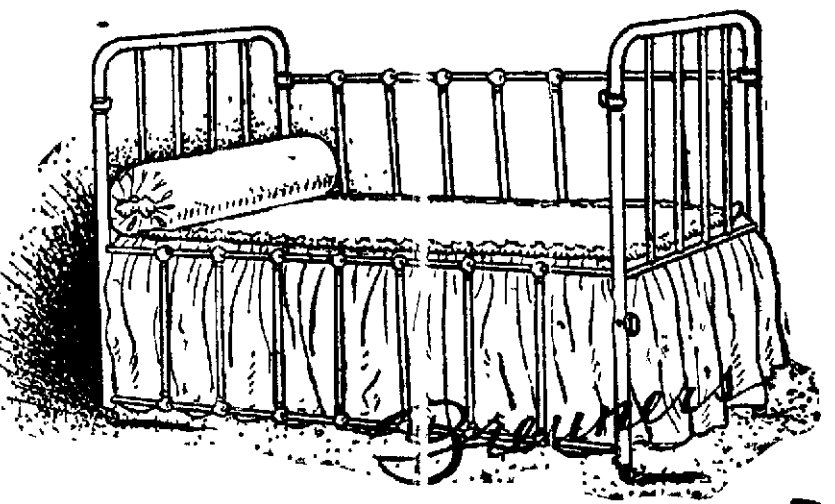
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<h3>Extension and Pedestal Tables</h3> <p>Solid oak 6-ft. 5-1/2" Dining Table Worth \$10.00 goes for \$7.75</p> <p>Heavy pedestal Extension Table round Worth \$25.00, Sale price \$11.00</p>	<h3>Rockers</h3> <p>Rockers, golden finish in \$2.50 Sale price \$1.48</p> <p>Rockers, solid oak \$3.75 Sale price \$1.98</p> <p>Rockers, quarter-cut oak \$4.00 Sale price \$2.48</p> <p>Rockers, quarter-cut oak \$5.50 Sale price \$3.85</p>	<h3>Kitchen Cabinets</h3> <p>Stylish Dresser with serpentine front top drawers quartered oak finish beveled plate glass oval mirror 20x24 inches in size standards of fancy design decorated with pretty carvings. Price \$10.85</p> <p>This Ducko's Kitchen Cabinet \$11.98</p> <p>Another offering that will create a sensation! It is not one of the most elaborate designs but is thoroughly practical in every way. Two cutlery drawers large workboard extra large glass top. Worth \$25.00 Sale price \$11.98</p>	<h3>COUCHES</h3> <p>Extra large Couch covered with chamois leather oak frame. Worth \$35.00, Sale price \$17.95</p> <p>Couch guaranteed oak Verona very massive highly polished iron patent inextinguishable steel construction heavy duck top built spring edge. Worth \$40.00 During Sale at \$21.25</p> <h3>DINING CHAIRS</h3> <p>Handsome polished oak Dining Chairs. Worth \$2.75 Sale price \$1.24</p> <p>Polished quarter oak leather box seat guaranteed. Worth \$1.00 Sale price \$2.68</p> <p>Dining Chairs golden finish embossed backs double rung. Special 89c</p>	<h3>Parlor Tables</h3> <p>Parlor Table 18 inch square top quarter-cut oak polished. Worth \$1.50, Sale price 98c</p> <p>Quarter oak Table, 22-inch top. Worth \$3.25, Sale price \$1.79</p>
<h3>Stylish Rocker</h3> <p>Room-size Art Square, 7 ft. 6 in. x 28 in.—The colorings patterns are quality of surprising excellence and the price really a self. Think of it! Worth \$8.00 really desirable room size Art Square for a bargain! \$3.23</p> <p>Room size Art Square, 12x12—Rich heavy Art Square copies of hand some Finnish and Persian designs also choice floral pattern. A bargain that must be seen to be appreciated. Worth \$10.00. Manufacturer's out-let sale price \$4.33</p> <p>Tapestry Brussels Rug, 8 ft. 6 in. x 10 ft. 6 in.—Good quality, eye pattern and good colors. Worth \$24.00 Sale price \$12.55</p>	<h3>Room Size Rugs</h3> <p>Room-size Art Square, 8x8—Heavy handsome Art Square regularly sold at \$9.00—A large line of choice patterns from which to choose—every one absolutely new. Manufacturer's outlet sale at \$3.78</p> <p>12x12 feet Brussels Rug—A world beater quality nothing better pattern and colorings most beautiful. Worth \$54.50, the quality, the patterns, colorings and the making are first-class. A rug that will last you a lifetime. Goes in this manufacturer's outlet sale at \$17.15</p> <p>Extra Fine Axminster Rug—Size 12x12, worth \$54.50, the quality, the patterns, colorings and the making are first-class. A rug that will last you a lifetime. Goes in this manufacturer's outlet sale at \$24.50</p>	<h3>Stoves and Ranges</h3> <p>A four hole Cook Stove fire box guaranteed 20 years 17-in. oven nickel trimmed, good. Worth \$20.00 Sale price \$9.95</p> <p>Large Steel Range extra heavy firebox guaranteed, good baker, oven 18x23 inches. Worth \$25.00 Sale price \$29.50</p>		